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Gill pleas

Could face up to five years on each of three federal charges; state charges still pending

By ALISON ALOISIO

Charles Gill has pled guilty to federal charges of mail fraud, wire fraud, and making false claims to Medicare/Medicaid.

Gill could face a maximum sentence of five years in prison and $250,000 in fines on each of the three federal counts, according to assistant U.S. Attorney Helene Kazanjian.

He is currently awaiting sentencing on those counts, as well as an earlier count of falsifying passport information, Kazanjian said Monday.

She said that Gill waived indictment by a grand jury in the new case late last month.

"He pled to information on one count of mail fraud, one count of wire fraud, and one count of making false claims to the Medicaid/Medicare program," she said.

Gill was fired as a counselor at the Bethel Area Health Center a year ago. He was arrested shortly afterward on 16 state charges of unlawful practice of psychology, and one charge of theft by deception.

In January he was indicted by a federal grand jury on two counts of making false statements in application and use of a passport. He pled guilty to one of those charges in March.

The U.S. Attorney's charges on the three most recent counts stemmed from his false claim that he had a doctoral degree in psychology and that he was a licensed psychologist or counselor in Maine.

Court papers were submitted in U.S. District Court in Portland on Oct. 26. They stated that Gill sent articles by mail and other information by computer as part of a scheme to obtain money from insurance companies, Medicare, Medicaid, and individual patients.

Kazanjian said Gill could face up to 10 years in prison and a $250,000 fine on the passport charge.

She said he is currently being held in a jail in the Portland area.

State plea negotiation in works

Regarding the state charges, as-

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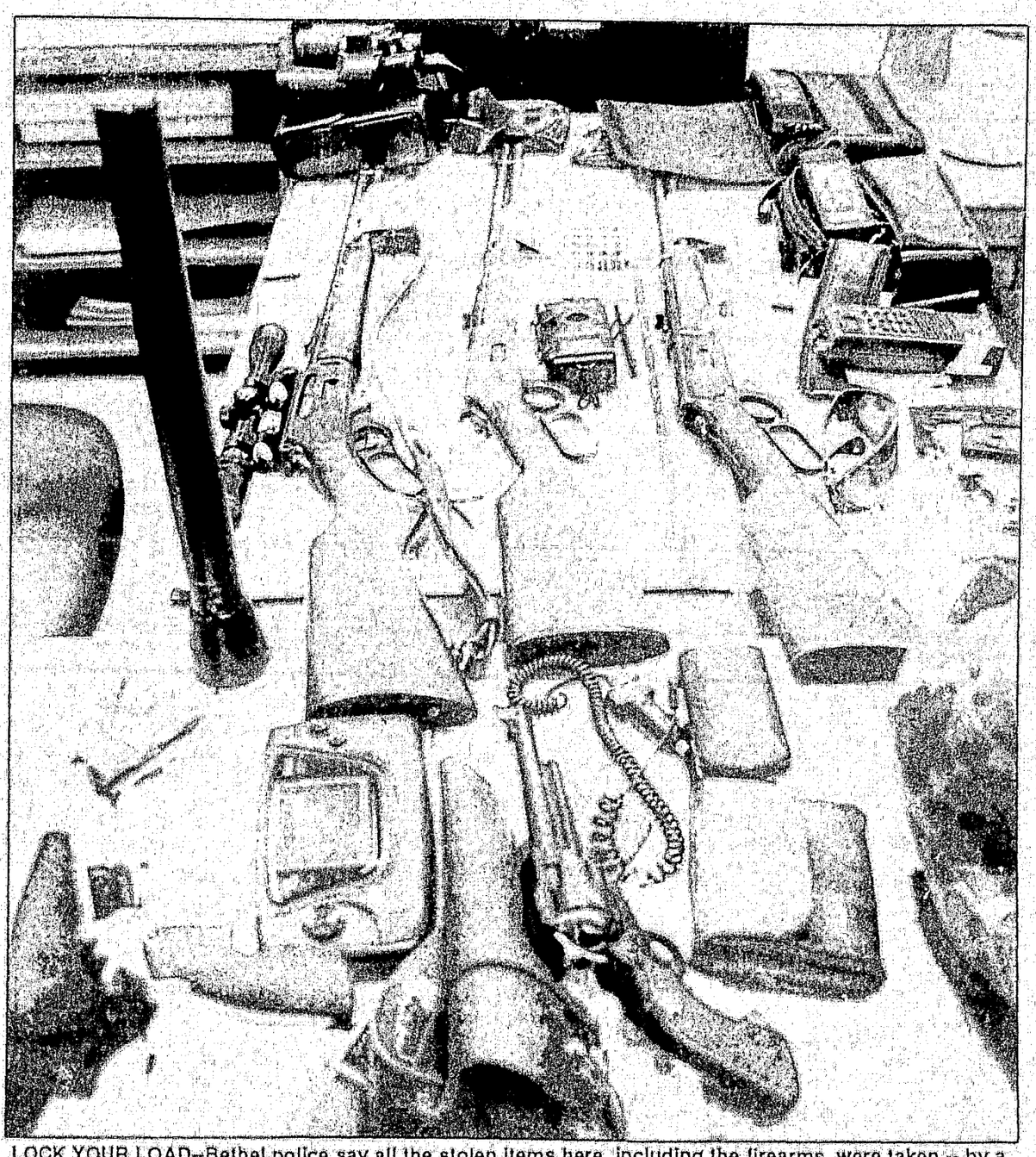

LOCK YOUR LOAD--Bethel police say all the stolen items here, including the firearms, were taken -- by a child -- from unlocked cars. *(Photo by Michael Daniels)*

Bethel police think stolen guns were headed for big-city gangs

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel police now believe that firearms stolen in a recent rash of car burglaries were intended for gangs in a major East Coast city.

Bethel Sergeant Darren Tripp said Tuesday that the 13-year-old boy believed to be responsible for the thefts told Bethel Officer Gene Allen he planned to convey the guns to gang members.

The guns were among a number of items recovered last week after Allen stopped the juvenile Thanksgiving evening behind a Main Street residence.

Upon questioning, the boy admitted that the compact disk player he was carrying was not his.

The boy was then taken to the Bethel Police Station, where he admitted (in the presence of a parent) that he was responsible for a number of recent car burglaries.

He then took police to where the stolen items had been stashed, in the attic and cellar of his residence. The boy's parent was not aware of the items, according to the police.

Among the items recovered were a .22 caliber pistol, a .45 caliber pistol, two 30-30 rifles, a .32-special rifle, all with ammunition, two cellular phones, two flashlights, a scanner, camera, binoculars, Fuzzbuster, video camera, Game Boy and miscellaneous small items and other amunition.

Tripp said that all the items had been stolen from unlocked cars. No break-ins had been involved.

The thefts began on Church Street in late October, and then moved to the Park-Mason House area. Tripp said police had targeted the mid-town area for close surveillance, and Allen had been patrolling there when he spotted the juvenile acting suspiciously.

Tripp credited Allen with breaking the case, but he said it couldn't have been done without the help of several residents who called in with information.

"They're our eyes in the community" he said. "My greatest fear is that they think they're bothering us when they call -- they're not at all. That's what we're here for."

The boy was released to the custody of his parent.

Many of the stolen items have since been returned to their owners, Tripp said, but other items have yet to be identified or claimed.

The case is still under investigation. "We're not done with this by a long shot," Tripp said.

He added that police have reason to believe the juvenile does in fact have gang connections.

Merchants thankful for weekend skiers

But shopkeepers know locals and regulars are essential for survival

By ALISON ALOISIO

If the jingle bells weren't ringing yet, the cash registers certainly were -- Sunday River was slammed, and village merchants were busier than they've been in a long time.

Thanksgiving weekend -- and the week leading up to it -- brought snowmaking temperatures and even some of the real stuff.

On Main Street, the barn at Philbrook Place was open for its first ski season, and it was jammed for much of the long weekend.

Shopowners there and elsewhere in the village hope it's a sign of things to come.

And a good start to the critical ski season is just what the local merchants need, especially after last season's disappointments and a summer season that most agree was average at best.

'For small-business owners, a bad ski season makes for a long, cold spring.'

RICK BOUCHER
Mahoosuc Mountain Sports

A record start

Over the four-day Thanksgiving weekend Sunday River logged more than 16,000 skier visits.

That's 17 percent more than the previous record, set in 1993. And skiers on the slopes means spenders in the shops.

"We've been busy. We're off to a good start, and we're buying accordingly. Our shelves are fully stocked," said Books-N-Things manager Jude Lamb on Saturday.

Having the barn open has attracted more people to the shopping complex, she said, "It's one-stop shopping. The parking lot has been full."

Cheri Thurston of the Vine and Cupboard was also pleased: "I'm so excited to see people be able to shop in Bethel." She said her customers appeared to be a mix of out-of-town and local shoppers.

Just up the street another new business owner, Sally Sawyer of the Emerald Florist, said she did well Thanksgiving weekend, despite the fact that "people are just discovering I'm here."

Further uptown, Mary Ellen Durrell of Keenan Auction Co. was thankful for the snow that brought the skiers -- and the shoppers.

"It's been a long time since we've had this much skiing this early. It's starting out on a positive note, and I hope it continues," she said.

Thinner slices of the pie?

But if the pie is growing, is it growing fast enough to accommodate all the new slices being taken out of it?

At Bonnema Pottery, next door to the Philbrook Place, Garrett Bonnena said business was down somewhat over Thanksgiving weekend, despite the increasing number of people in town.

He attributes the fall-off to the new choices shoppers have nearby.

In the past, he noted, people who were here but didn't want to ski, or who were shopping for gifts, had only a few choices.

"We're one of the few options in town," he said. But now that's changed: there are many more

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING--Mary Ellen Durrell, right, of Keenan Auction Co. rings up a purchase for Kathleen Butters of Wash., D.C. Saturday. Shoppers were out in force in Bethel over the weekend. *(Photo by A. Aloisio)*

Rabies found here

Skunk had contact with dog

By ALISON ALOISIO

A rabid skunk was shot in Bethel last month.

Mark Hindman's dog was attacked by the skunk at his Route 5 home in early October. Hindman said the dog was chained outside when the skunk went after it.

"It was biting at the dog's feet," Hindman said. "It didn't even run away, so I knew something was wrong."

Hindman shot the skunk, then called the Maine Warden Service. The animal was sent to the Health and Environmental testing lab in Augusta, where it tested positive for rabies.

Hindman's dog, which had been immunized against rabies, was given a booster shot and quarantined for 45 days. Hindman said the dog is fine now.

State officials noted that Bethel is some distance from other rabies incidents. The nearest case previously reported occurred in South Paris.

Increasing numbers of rabies cases across Maine are leading state officials to renew their plea for pet vaccinations.

"Rabies is here. It's imperative that animals be innoculated," Maine Warden Service dispatcher Sharon Nichols said Monday.

Nichols said 11 animals have been sent to the state lab for testing within the past week -- five last Wednesday, and six on Monday.

Nichols said people should realize that only animals that come in contact with humans or pets can be

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THE BETHEL ROTARY CLUB'S
CHRISTMAS FOR CHILDREN

Now's the time to give!

The Bethel Rotary Club's Christmas for Children Campaign has a goal of $7,000 for purchasing toys for local youngsters this Christmas. So far there's approximately $1,100 contributed. Contributions will be accepted through December 18th.

Contributions and requests may be addressed to Dave Murphy, 844 Mayville Road, Bethel, Maine 04217.

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Green Sale
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Patty Dooen will be a Septuagenarian 11/30/95

Breakfast with Santa

Saturday, December 2 from 8:30 - 9:30 at CPS

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The Greenstock Snowsports Club will be selling Christmas trees again this year on December 9 & 10 and 16 & 17 in the area.
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Letters

MLT STILL SEEKING LAND FUNDS

To the Editor:

Thanks for the great photograph in the Nov. 11 edition of the flooded Intervale Gateway land recently purchased by the Mahoosuc Land Trust. One of the reasons we wanted to buy this land, some of it considered wetlands, was to protect and maintain its floodplain value. During times of excessive rain and floods, wetlands absorb incredible amounts of water, like a sponge. The land was doing its job last week. We also wanted to purchase this land to maintain the view of the mountains that have welcomed visitors and residents for almost 150 years.

This land, although it is all in the 100-year floodplain, is perfectly legal to build on as long as one builds the first floor one foot above the 100-year floodplain water level. By the way, the 100-year flood is not one that occurs every 100 years, but rather one which has a 1 percent probability of occurring every year. The 100-year flood could occur 10 years in a row. If this floodplain wetland were filled in, we'd lose its absorptive capacity and more severe flooding would occur elsewhere.

There are two ways to protect the natural values of this land: regulation, or purchase. We knew that this property flooded and decided that the best and most fair way to maintain the important resource values was to purchase it. The price we paid reflected the reality of the extra costs and difficulty in developing it. I am convinced that sooner or later someone would have purchased it, filled at least part of it in, and developed it.

Although we closed on the property on Sept. 1, we did have to borrow some of the funds, which is why our famous sign still stands. We are still actively fundraising for the purchase and contributions will continue to be matched by the Betterment Fund. Please send your tax deductible contributions to MLT, Box 981, Bethel, ME 04217.

Marcel Polak
Mahoosuc Land Trust

IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK ...

To the Editor:

The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce's Beautification Committee has been busy planning and decorating the downtown area for the holiday season. I would like to recognize the individuals and businesses that have helped to make this happen.

Carole and Richard Duplessis, of Pooh Corner Farm and Greenhouses, donated the Christmas trees that line the Common. Carole also organized a work party last week to make the beautiful pole decorations that are along the Main Street. Many thanks to the volunteers who attended the party to make these lovely decorations: Sally Sawyer, Barbara Brown, Becky Kendall, Ann Friedlander, David Freiday, Melinda Remington, Barbara Testani and her friend Lisa, Carol Neilsen, Elaine Kuzyk and Robin Zinchuk. I would like to thank those who helped last Saturday to install these decorations: David Frieday, Joe Cardello, and Carole Duplessis, and Nan Timberlake and George Driscoll who helped put up the lights on the common.

All are invited to enjoy a full day of activities planned for this Saturday's Country Christmas in Bethel. Many thanks to Rhea Gibbs who has organized the Taste of Bethel, which will be held from noon to 2 p.m. at the Bethel Inn Conference Center. The Bethel Business Association will have volunteers on the common at 1 p.m. to help children hang their handmade decorations on the town tree. All day long the shops will be holding specials. The West Bethel Church will hold their Greens Sale Saturday morning and the Congregational Church's Christmas Fair and Tea is from 1 to 4 p.m. All are invited to end their day on the common starting at 6:30 p.m. with Santa arriving to plug in the lights and to enjoy Gould's Boys' and Girls' Chorus. Many thanks to our dedicated Santa, George "Bub" Wight! The lights on the common will be lit in memory of Sue O'Donnell, who was instrumental years ago in bringing Christmas lights back to our beautiful common. Those businesses sponsoring trees this year are: Brooks Bros., The Unicorn Flower Shop and Garden Center and The Chapman Inn.

Robin Zinchuk
Executive Director

... A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS

To the Editor:

The wreaths that were hung on the Main Street poles, and the lights that were lit Saturday were made possible because of dozens of volunteers. The helpers on ribbons, swags, and pin light testing were Barbara Testani, her friend Lisa, Ann Friedlander, David Freiday, Sally Sawyer, Elaine Kuzyk, Robin Zinchuk and boys, Carol Neilsen, Barbara Brown, Melinda Remington, and Becky Kendall. A big thank you to all of them.

The installation crew consisted of Robin Zinchuk, Nan Timberlake, David Freiday, Joe Cardello, George Driscoll, Linda Gamble, Keith Testani, and myself.

Richard Duplessis donated the trees and the greens, and Barbara Testani donated the ribbon. Doug Zinchuk stored the old lights and my poles. Brooks Bros. sold the extra pin lights at cost, and donations were made in memory of Susan O'Donnell who first envisioned the lighted common.

The efforts of a few will be enjoyed by so many. Thank you for making Bethel festive.

Carole Duplessis
Special Projects Committee, Bethel Chamber of Commerce

See HEALTHY LIVING in next week's Bethel Citizen!

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THE RIVERSIDE HEALTH CARE CLINIC is coming to dentist Dr. John Mason's Northwest Bethel Road office site. The modular medical building was placed on Mason's property last week. The facility will be rented by the Rumford Community Hospital, and Dr. Thomas O'Meara will have an office there in the near future. *(Photo by Alison Aloisio)*

SAFER FAMILIES ALIVE

To the Editor:

The Safer Families Board of Directors and Program Coordinator Lynn Mason wish to inform its clients, the many professionals who make referrals to us and the Oxford County community, that despite the temporary closing of our hot line, we are continuing to provide court advocacy in both Rumford and South Paris. Support groups for victims of domestic violence are also ongoing.

Clients who require emergency service should call 911. Those with less urgent needs may contact the Safer Families office at 207-824-4222. The program is also seeking volunteers for a variety of activities, with training to begin within the next few weeks. For more information, please call the office number and leave a message.

Donna Richards
President, Safer Families Board of Directors

REMEMBERING MILLIE THOMAS

To the Editor:

The Bethel Historical Society has lost a valued member and volunteer with the death this week of Millie Thomas.

Millie came to Bethel from Virginia in 1983, and purchased the little house at the foot of Paradise that was to be her home for all her years here. One of the first things she did upon arrival here was to visit the Bethel Historical Society and almost immediately she told us that she wanted to become a member and a volunteer providing museum tours.

It was in this capacity that I got to know Millie and appreciate her lively personality and humor. At first glance, it seemed unlikely that such a dignified looking individual could be so animated, but that impression would soon pass when she began telling the latest jokes accumulated in her travels. One never knew what to expect even if she had assured you that it was suitable for mixed company. It wasn't always, but that did not seem to bother her. And, oh, how she liked off-color humor, having been so close to it during her days working for admirals. She was a blunt, independent, no-nonsense type, thoroughly aware of the real world. She could also be kind and generous beneath a crusty front. She did so many thoughtful things quietly and without fanfare. Once I remember Millie telling me of some gentleman who was trying to arouse a romantic interest in her. Her response to me was, "Forget it, he is too damn old." She added, "If I ever have a man again, I want one with some life to him."

Her tours of the museum were always an experience. She made history come alive -- far from something dead and gone. Often I had someone who had just experienced one of Millie's special tours tell me how much he or she had enjoyed it. Once after one of her tours, a man expressed his appreciation by throwing his arms around her and hugging and kissing her. She turned to me after he left, and smiling broadly exclaimed, "This job is looking up."

During my last conversation with Millie, two days before she died, I told her how much I had missed her at the annual volunteer dinner held in November. It didn't seem like the same event without her, as she always took such an interest in it as a stalwart member of the Museum Committee and usually did more than her part in making it a success each year.

When the society began sponsoring the Portland Brass Quintet on the Fourth of July, she was its most enthusiastic supporter, telling me it was her favorite Bethel event. She never missed one and always made her financial contribution to help keep it coming to Bethel.

Several years ago, Millie was made an honorary member of the society for her devoted service. This is the society's highest membership honor and she was touched by this recognition for all her volunteer hours.

One of Millie's favorite passions in life was fresh vegetables. She loved them and really appreciated having them. I well remember the time I gave her a small bag of potatoes. She was so happy about this one would have thought I had given her a pot of gold. After that, I regularly found things in my garden to give her. No matter what I provided, she always was so grateful. This summer she told me that she had never had better tomatoes than those from my garden.

One of the satisfactions of having a garden is to share its bounty with others. How often I thought of Millie when I was planting, weeding and cultivating -- just how much she would appreciate what I would be able to give her come July or August or even September. Now part of the fun is gone. Next year I won't be able to give Millie any tomatoes, beans or potatoes, but I will certainly plant all future gardens with her firmly in mind. She had real courage to cope when her eyes failed and she never lost her zest for life, especially if there was humor to be enjoyed. Many of us who knew her well appreciated these qualities and are the richer for her inspiration and example.

Stan Howe
Bethel Historical Society

The Bond Shell Game

By MIKE BROWN

Are Maine citizens being ripped off in a bond shell game? Under what shell lies the bond money that folks thought was going to the specific purposes they voted for?

Well, it is a shell game and a deputy attorney general says it's all legal.

When the legislature passes out bond issue referendums there is an accompanying "citizen's guide" issued by the Secretary of State on what each bond issue money will be used for. If, for instance, people in 1992 voted in favor of a highway bond of some $55 million of principle and interest they should have assumed that the bucks would go where specified in the "citizen's guide."

That is, $19 million for highway and bridge improvements, $10 million for local road assistance, $8.6 million for ferry and pier improvements, and $4.4 million for railroad and airport improvements.

Now we are told that perhaps not all of that bond money was spent on its advertised purpose. Instead, it was partially used to bail out the state's general debt. The citizen's guide lied to the people. The transportation commission lied to the people, the secretary of state lied to the people. The governor and his administration lied to the people.

And the 1992 bonds were not a one-time exception. The bond shell game has been going on in Augusta for a very long time.

The shell game was re-visited recently when Gov. Angus King, Jr. decided to bail out the basket-case Department of Transportation via the circuitous gimmick of having a DOT $34 million loan brokered through the Maine Turnpike Authority.

This bonding cul-de-sac loops around not only legislative approval but a public vote bond referendum. It's a $34 million shell game. And furthermore, Deputy Cabanne Howard, the opinions counsel for the attorney general's office, says it's legal because the Maine Constitution doesn't specify under what purposes the bond moneys can be used.

Gov. King says he doesn't approve of the bonding shell game, except for this one time, of course, to move the DOT pea under his shell when the suckers aren't looking.

The turnpike authority, which maintains the 105-mile highway between York and Augusta had as of March 1, 1995, $84,710,000 in outstanding bond debt. And although its bonds are deemed not to be a debt of the state, its bond obligations are met solely by tolls. Increased debt probably means higher tolls, or a shell game argument to increase tolls. Like when the Maine bottle law laid a 30-cent refundable tax on a six-pack, beer distributors jumped the cost 60 cents.

And what a difference an election makes in the opinion tune sung from the attorney general's office.

Back in 1992, Gov. John R. McKernan, Jr. in a rare loss in the bond shell game attempted to end-around the voting folks back home by bonding millions through the Maine Municipal Bond Bank for the same projects now "specified" in the turnpike shell game gimmick. The then AG Mike Carpenter, a Democrat appointee, with an assist by Cab Howard, a Democrat activist in his off-office time, said no way, Jocko Republican.

Another bond opinion chorus was apparently written for Angus, the Independent/Democrat.

Politics is what perpetrates the bond shell game. Maine citizens are carrying in the neighborhood of half a billion dollars in general bond debt. And many are warning -- there goes the neighborhood.

But not State Treasurer Sam Shapiro, another Democrat appointee and party activist. Shapiro merely scoffs at the bond debt and politically advocates his support for each and every bond referendum. Moody's Investor's and Standard & Poor's have assigned their municipal bond ratings of "Aa" and "AA+" to the Maine bonds. Not the highest, only average for state-backed bonds.

Maine-born poet e.e. cummings once said, "I'm living so far beyond my income that we may almost be said to be living apart." That sort of explains the gulf between people and their government today.

(Veteran newsman and columnist Mike Brown writes regularly on the Augusta political scene. His views are his own and do not necessarily reflect those of The Citizen.)

THIS WEEK AT THE

Moses Mason House

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the next monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, Dec. 7 at the society's Broad Street headquarters, the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 6:30 p.m. with the annual "Christmas with the Masons" festivities.

The museum will be decorated much as it might have been in the first part of the 19th century with boughs, berries, and fruit. Candlelight tours will be available and mulled cider will be served from the hearth of the winter kitchen along with special holiday treats. The Mahoosuc Music Makers will play holiday music in the meeting room and Gould Academy students will entertain in the museum. There is no admission charge and anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

At 7:30 p.m. there will be a brief meeting of the society followed by a program of slides made during the past year of old photographs and society events. All those interested in attending this meeting are urged to do so.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: GAMM, Inc., New Hampshire garment manufacturer signed a lease with owners of the Bethel Mall to lease 3,800 square feet of space in the mall (at the intersection of Cross Street and Route 26) for two years (a portion of this space is currently under renovation for a specialty pizza restaurant). October students-of-the-month at Telstar were: freshman Nathan Bean, sophomore Heidi Belanger, junior Keith Clanton, and senior Chris Laban. Bethel Area Health Center held a grand finale dance to say thank-you to the community for their efforts in fundraising for the new facility. Marriages: Cheryl Sessions and David Bownes, Cynthia Malin and Bruce Clements. Deaths: Ruth Conner, Ethel Bryant, Walter Scott, Lillian Huston.

20 years ago: The Donkey Basketball Game at Telstar put the senior girls against the senior boys for a game filled with laughs, thrills and fun galore. Frederick Stanley was named sub-foreman in the Bethel Highway Department. Deaths: Everett Enman, Margaret Olson.

30 years ago: The Bethel Snow Twisters snow kart club was organized and Ernest Angevine was elected president. A "Committee of 100" SAD44 residents was formed to keep the people informed and to keep informed by the people during preparations of plans for the proposed district high school. The football and cross-country teams of Gould Academy were honored at a banquet hosted by Bethel Chamber of Commerce and the West Parish Congregational Church. Leonard Pierce, vice president of Brown Company of Berlin, N.H., and Bethel resident, was transferred to the company's offices in New York City and became assistant to the president. Birth: Debra Wright. Marriage: Linda Billings and Richard Fraser. Deaths: Francis Curtis and E. Stanton Horne.

40 years ago: Representatives from various organizations met at the Bethel town office to form a Community Health Council. Melvin Jodrey was elected president of the freshman class at Gould Academy. Birth: Thomas Payn. Marriage: Laurene Britton and Edwin French. Death: Frederick Newton.

50 years ago: Richard Perkins purchased the Harold Chamberlin residence (now the home of David Hunt and family) on Philbrook Street. About 250 people attended a lecture on Village Forum at the West Parish Congregational Church. Fred Edwards, Louis Verrill, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven and Garard Eames were brought before Trial Justice George Daniels of Gilead, charged with "neglect and refusing to take care of corn stubble ground before Nov. 1. Birth: Dale Stevens. Death: Bertha Valentine.

100 years ago: A new plank walk was laid across lower Main Street. Ed Messilar, a traveling carriage trimmer, was charged with stealing plush from the carriage shop of Frank Bartlett (now the site of Roger Conant's land and home). A lecture "Reformed Drunkard!" was presented at Odeon Hall, by Mr. James Dunn who "has been a mental and physical wreck through the influence of alcoholic drink, and knows by sad experience all the phases of its misery." Death: Miriam Twitchell.

--Items in Looking Back are compiled by the Bethel Historical Society from back issues of The Bethel Citizen.

NEWS TIPS

To reach a reporter with a news tip or story request, or to comment on news coverage call Michael Daniels or Alison Aloisio at 824-2444.

Briefly

New dispatch center rejected

PARIS--A request from the sheriff to construct a new dispatching center next year was rejected last week by the Oxford County Budget Committee. But members did approve $7,500 from the county's surplus account at year-end to do a study of the existing communications center. Both expansion and new construction options could be considered in that process. No deadline to report back to the commissioners was set. In other business the commissioners also voted $3,000 funding to Bethel's airport. The commissioners' vote reversed their original recommendation to reject all funding for the Bethel and Fryeburg airports while funding the county-owned Oxford County Regional Airport at its full request.

Conservationists: revise WMNF plan

CONCORD, Mass.--The 1986 White Mountain National Forest Management Plan is badly in need of review, according to two conservation organizations. "The plan emphasizes logging and development when people want a scenic, unspoiled forest and opportunities for a wilderness experience. It makes visitor management a low priority when skyrocketing public use threatens to damage the forest and make it harder to get away from crowds and development," said David Carle of RESTORE: The North Woods. According to RESTORE, the Forest Service made a contract with the public to revise the plan within ten years or earlier, if needed. And according to the 1994 WMNF Annual Monitoring Report, wilderness use is now 60 percent higher than predicted in the plan, and downhill skiing use has exceeded agency projections by 30 percent.

Blue Cross rate increase denied

GARDINER--Blue Cross' requested Companion Plan rate increase averaging 21.4 percent was denied last week by the Maine Bureau of Insurance. Companion Plan is a supplement to Medicare and is designed to provide specific benefits that pay some of the amounts for covered services that Medicare does not pay. It affects about 79,000 elderly Maine citizens. MBI's superintendent said an average rate increase of about 16.2 percent is more appropriate. The rates were last increased three years ago. Blue Cross is expected to file an amended rate increase request.

Weatherization program gets cuts

AUGUSTA--The federal Weatherization program is scheduled to be cut 47 percent, according to the Maine State Housing Authority. Weatherization funds are distributed to Community Action Program agencies in Maine. The CAPs perform the actual work, including adding insulation, replacing inadequate doors and windows, and replacing or repairing heating systems. Last year the program made 1,262 low-income homes more energy efficient. MSHA said the program may be eliminated entirely in another year.

Killington, Pico may join trails

SHERBURNE, Vt.--The Pico and Killington ski areas are considering reopening negotiations to link trails between the two resorts. Urged forward by Gov. Howard Dean and Rutland Mayor Jeffrey Wennberg, ski area officials are moving towards negotiations on a deal that would allow the two resorts to build lifts and amenities linking their operations. At the same time, Pico and the U.S. Park Service are close to completing a deal that would put 1,300 acres of the ski area's land in the hands of the federal government.

AMC says no impact study needed

LACONIA, N.H.--The Appalachian Mountain Club, which is asking to renew its permit to operate huts in the White Mountain National Forest, contends it does not have to get an environmental impact study done because it is not proposing any changes to the area. But North Country leaders have said they will sue the U.S. Forest Service if it doesn't require an environmental study of the application. The club is asking to renew its 30-year permit to operate eight huts and a visitors' center. A spokesman for the Forest Service said no decision has been made on whether a full study will be done.

Beer as good as wine for heart

ANAHEIM, Calif.--Good news for beer drinkers: A can of brew can be good for the heart -- and just as good as a glass of red wine. For years, experts have recognized the benefits of modest amounts of alcohol on the heart. Wine has gotten a lot of good press lately, with studies contending that people are better off drinking red wine than other kinds of alcohol. But a recent Harvard Medical School study found that any alcoholic drink -- once or twice a day -- cut the risk of heart attack in half.

Microwaving, tea, olive oil fight cancer

EAST LANSING, Mich.--Americans should worry less about environmental pollution causing cancer and more about avoiding foods that can promote it, according to a researcher. John H. Weisberger of the American Health Foundation said meat fried or grilled until it is well done can contribute to colon and breast cancers. He recommended mixing hamburger with 10 percent soy protein or microwaving it for three minutes before grilling. He also said drinking tea instead of coffee can cut cancer risk, as it contains some of the same cancer inhibitors found in fruits and vegetables. Olive oil is also preferable over safflower and corn oil. Generally, low fat and high fiber diets reduce the likelihood of cancer.

Don't burn treated wood

AUGUSTA--Burning pressure-treated wood in a woodstove or fireplace could be hazardous to your health, according to the Maine Board of Pesticides Control. "The preservatives which penetrate deeply into pressure-treated lumber are pesticides," said Paul Gregory, BPC public information officer. "Among these chemicals are the heavy metals arsenic and chromium. In addition to toxic effects associated with short-term exposure at high levels, these heavy metals also have been classified as carcinogens by the U.S. EPA." The ashes also pose risks. The best way to dispose of the wood is by ordinary trash collection or by burial.

Holistic health for pets

LEWISTON, Calif.--A lot of humans practice holistic health, and veterinarian Neal Weiner thinks that approach is good for their pets, too. He says commercial dog and cat food leads to many pet ailments. So, Weiner tells people to feed their animals a mixture of raw meat, raw and steamed vegetables, and cooked grains. He says he grew increasingly concerned with conventional veterinary medicine after pets kept being brought back every few months with the same problems. Instead of prescribing antibiotics or performing surgery, Weiner uses homeopathic techniques to find and fix the underlying cause of the pet's ailment. He practices muscle testing, in which a technician puts one hand on the pet and stretches out her other arm. Weiner touches the technician and tests the resistance of her outstretched arm with his other hand. He claims the technician acts as an "extension cord" into the pet's energy field. Pushing her arm down with little resistance indicates a problem, such as infection, allergy, organ weakness, or hormonal imbalance.

O.K. to eat eggs?

ANAHEIM, Calif.--Medical opinion on eggs is starting to turn sunny side up. A study has shown that people with moderately high cholesterol may be able to eat two a day without harm -- as long as they lay off the bacon. Volunteers in the study ate two eggs a day for three months. Their cholesterol edged up only modestly, and half of the increase was in good cholesterol, the HDL, or high-density lipoprotein, which protects people from heart disease. A researcher said the body may produce more HDL to compensate for rising cholesterol in the diet. The cholesterol in people with high triglycerides rose more, suggesting those people may need to watch their cholesterol intake more than those with normal levels.

From the Bethel Police log:

Salesmen sucking up to customers?

Police received several complaints last week about a suspicious vehicle, a blue Plymouth Caravan, in the area. The vehicle was stopped on Nov. 22 on the Northwest Bethel Road and four subjects identified. They were all employed as Kirby Vacuum Cleaner salesmen. The officer cautioned them about their sales techniques, to ensure they didn't coerce people into hearing their sales pitch.

Thursday, Nov. 23

At 7:30 p.m. police observed a juvenile behind the Bethel Spa with a CD player in his hand. He acted very suspicious and was unable to answer basic questions, such as what type of CD player it was. He was questioned further and confessed to taking the player from a vehicle parked at the motel. (See related story, page 1.)

Friday, Nov. 24

At 9 a.m. a Church Street resident came into the Police Department to pick up a report. While there, he identified as his a radar detector recovered by an officer. The man said it had been stolen on Nov. 19, but he did not report it as he did not really use it. Police planned to return it to him after it had been processed.

At 12:40 p.m. a Mechanic Street resident reported a dog chasing people, and that an unknown subject had been bitten earlier in the morning. At the request of a woman at the residence where the dog lived, the animal control officer was called to pick up the dog, a German Shephard. The woman said she couldn't control the animal and was afraid of it. The dog was taken to a shelter.

Saturday, Nov. 25

At 1:23 p.m. a Paradise Road resident reported her son had been hit by a Bethel resident. The son told police he was not hit, but had been pushed in the face and was not hurt. Police planned to speak with the Bethel subject.

At 11:28 p.m. a Main Street resident reported a loud party on the second floor of his residence. Police advised the occupant of the complaint and told him he and his guest would have to keep it down. He was advised if further complaints were received a summons would be issued.

At 11:20 p.m. a Sunday River Brewing Company employee reported he had stopped serving a male subject, who he felt had had enough to drink. The subject was asked to leave and did, but returned and was escorted out of the building. He started throwing snowballs at vehicles parked in the parking lot. When police arrived the subject had left. The officer was told he had headed toward Sunday River. Police checked the Sunday River Road but did not find him.

Sunday, Nov. 26

At 3:03 a.m. a Church Street resident reported her daughter had been on Route 2 near the Bethel Auto Sales, headed toward town, when she saw two young females walking. One looked like she was bleeding. Police checked the area but did not see them.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log, but does not include all reports of police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies. An answering machine takes calls when an officer is not in the office.

Newry light: stop -- go -- stop

By ALISON ALOISIO

Prospects may be dimming for a traffic light in Newry.

The proposed light must now be approved by the Maine Department of Transportation, or the state will not accept liability for it, according to selectman Steve Wight.

MDOT approval is not by any means a rubber stamp. And it is unlikely the town would accept liability for the signal.

Wight said he could not speak for the board of selectmen, but he would not vote to go ahead with the light if the town were solely responsible.

Townspeople voted last month to approve the installation of the light at the Sunday River/Skiway Access roads' intersection. Upper Sunday River valley residents had objected to a proposed stop sign on the Sunday River Road. They said they would have trouble getting through skier traffic.

A new intersection was recently completed, with what was intended as a temporary stop sign on the southbound lane of the Sunday River Road.

Wight met with MDOT and Sunday River Skiway officials Wednesday to discuss the issue.

"The state has to approve every light," Wight said Saturday. He said the town would send a letter to MDOT commissioner John Melrose requesting approval.

A reply could take up to a month, but could be shortened to a week if circumstances dictated, Wight said.

Light "not cure-all"

MDOT engineer Steve Honeywell said Monday approval of traffic lights generally depends on the amount of traffic at an intersection. Honeywell said when a low-volume road intersects a high-volume one (as in this case), the light would be green most of the time on the busier road.

He said drivers on the high-volume road get used to the green signal "and they're not going to look at it.

"A light can cause more problems than it solves. People feel a traffic light is a cure-all, but it doesn't necessarily reduce accidents. The accidents change from angle accidents, from people trying to get out, to rear-end accidents, from people trying to stop," he said.

Newry received a letter from MDOT last month effectively saying the department would have nothing to do with either the construction or maintenance of a light.

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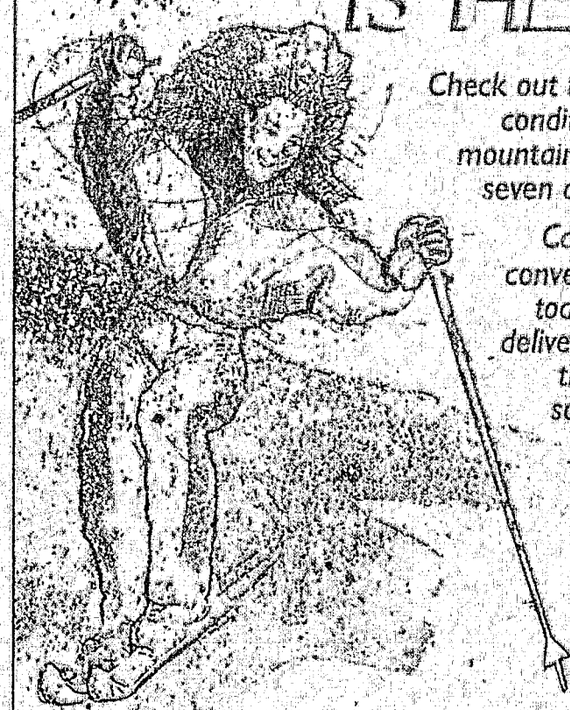

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Jaws of Life called on twice during the past week

By ALISON ALOISIO

The Jaws of Life was used twice last week to extricate accident victims in Bethel.

A Vermont man was critically injured Monday evening in a head-on crash on Route 2 in West Bethel.

Jeffrey Valentine was listed in critical condition at Central Maine Medical Center Tuesday morning with a head injury, according to a hospital spokesman.

Also injured in the accident was Patti Parsons and two of her children, of West Bethel.

Parsons' husband, Jeff, said Tuesday that she had 50 stitches in her mouth at Stephens Memorial Hospital, and was released. He said the children were bumped and bruised around their faces, but were all right.

All three were wearing seat belts, he said.

Parsons said his wife, driving a pickup truck with a plow, was headed west around 5:30 p.m., near Bethel Furniture Stock. He said Valentine's vehicle apparently crossed the center line, striking the pickup head-on.

"The plow took most of the impact," he said.

Parsons said the Bethel Fire Department's Jaws of Life was used to remove Valentine from his vehicle, a 1995 Ford Contour.

Parsons expressed his gratitude to the large number of people who turned out to help.

"There were a great number of people immediately on the scene who knew Patti, and they were incredibly helpful," he said.

Parsons said others went to his home to be with his other two children, while other friends went to the hospital. He was out of town at the time of the accident.

Valentine was apparently the lone occupant of his vehicle, which was totaled.

The Jaws of Life was also used last Wednesday morning to free a Bethel woman from a vehicle.

Eugenie R. Macie, 26, received minor injuries when the car she was riding in was struck from behind by a car driven by Delores Williams, 45, also of Bethel.

Bethel police officer Darren Tripp said Macie's vehicle, driven by Wilson Downs, was headed north on Route 26 and attempted to make a right turn into Gaudreau's Repair.

Williams' car struck the Downs vehicle on the passenger door, pushing it into the fence at the entrance to Gaudreau's. Downs and a three-year-old child in the rear seat of his car were wearing seat belts, and were not hurt.

Williams was also wearing a seat belt, and was not injured. Air bags in her car also deployed -- saving her dog in the passenger seat from injury as well.

Macie was not wearing a seat belt, but Tripp said it was not a factor in the side impact accident.

Damage to the Downs vehicle, a Ford, was estimated at $5,000, while Williams' Mercury received $2,000 worth of damage.

THE JAWS OF LIFE helped extricate Eugenie Macie from her vehicle following an accident on Route 26 last week. *(Photo by Alison Aloisio)*

Town drivers to be tested for drugs, alcohol

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Faced with a state mandate to have a drug and alcohol testing program in place by Jan. 1, Bethel selectmen voted unanimously last week to put a program into effect immediately.

Other area towns are likely to follow suit.

The policy adopted in Bethel follows the recommendations of the Maine Municipal Association.

It covers all regular full-time, part-time, seasonal, on-call and temporary employees who are required to hold a commercial drivers license (CDL). It does not cover emergency responders, such as firefighters and ambulance [illegible].

Independent contractors doing business with a town must also have a similar policy in place.

Had Bethel waited until the Jan. 1 deadline to adopt the policy, then all current employees holding a CDL would have had to take an initial test.

By adopting the policy prior to the deadline, the town spares current employees from having to take that test -- and it spares itself the expense of paying for them.

Under the terms of the policy, all new applicants for jobs requiring a CDL must pass a drug test as a prerequisite for employment.

Part-time employees who work for the town as little as once a year are considered as current employees.

And all employees with CDLs, including current employees, will be subject to random testing in the future.

Employees can also be tested following accidents that involve the loss of human life, or for which the employee receives a citation for a moving violation.

And they can be tested if a trained supervisor detects signs of alcohol and/or drug abuse while on the job or immediately before or after work.

The tests look for the presence of alcohol, marijuana, cocaine, amphetamines, phencyclidine or opiates.

The test will be conducted by Affiliated Healthcare of Bangor.

Affiliated Healthcare charges towns a base fee of $50 a year to manage the program, plus $50 for each actual test that is conducted.

For the purpose of random testing, employees in all the towns that sign up with the company are put into a pool. The number of annual drug tests must equal 50 percent of the number of CDL positions in the pool, and the number of alcohol tests must equal 25 percent of the CDL positions.

Other towns to follow

Woodstock adopted a similar policy last week, also based on the MMA model. Selectmen in Greenwood and Andover were expected to take up the matter at a meeting Tuesday evening. Newry has no town positions which require a CDL.

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Shopping

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shopping choices. Shoppers may even suffer battle fatigue before reaching his shop, he said.

Bonnema and his wife, Melody, ran a pottery business in Freeport just as the boom began there. It eventually became so crowded, he said, that some regular customers stopped coming to town.

Bonnema said he doesn't foresee Bethel ever becoming the much-dreaded "another Freeport," but competition for the visitor's dollar is certainly growing faster than the number of those dollars in local circulation.

Local support

A fine ski weekend sends ripples of dollars even into non-tourist-related businesses.

When the mountain is busy it's definitely busier here -- not overwhelmingly, but noticeably, said Jack Brooks of Brooks Bros. Hardware.

But, said, it's regular customers, not just tourists here for a few days, who many merchants rely on for their core business.

Rick Boucher, owner of Mahoosuc Mountain Sports, said most of his telemark-ski and mountain-bike business comes from regulars -- both local residents and others with commitments (perhaps in the form of a condo, camp or summer house) to the area.

Building a base of such customers is key, he said, because they're the type of buyers who are willing to spend for what he has to offer: reasonable prices, but with technical advice before the sale and quality service afterwards.

"They tend to know what they're looking for," he said. "Someone just wandering in off the street isn't going to spend $300 for a pair of skis."

The success of the ski areas affects even the spending of regular customers, Boucher said.

For many of these people, it was the ski areas that brought them here in the first place, he said, and if they end up living on the local economy -- rather than commuting from a well-paying job in Boston -- the success of the ski season is a major factor in their own buying decisions, especially when it's for discretionary items like skis, pottery, books and new clothes.

"When we have a year like last year, there's a lot less money in their pockets," Boucher said, "and it's not till mid summer that they can think of spending again.

"For small-business owners," he said, "a bad ski season makes for a long, cold spring."

Rabies

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tested for rabies.

Suspicious behavior by itself does not qualify an animal for testing, she said.

Nichols advises that anyone who decides to kill a suspicious wild animal should "bury it deep."

Wright said there have been 85 cases of rabies reported in Maine this year, compared to 10 last year.

Gill

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sistant District Attorney Joseph O'Connor said last week he expects a plea agreement eventually.

"It's on hold right now. His attorney (Peter J. DeTroy) wanted to resolve the federal case first. We'll see what he gets federally. I anticipate that it (the state case) will be resolved by a plea agreement, since he pled to the other," O'Connor said.

HANOVER BENEFIT SUPPER

A community benefit supper and Christmas tree lighting is scheduled to take place at Community Hall on Main Street, Hanover, at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 3. Proceeds from the supper will be used to help Terrie Merrill with her medical expenses.

Supper will consist of chop suey and fish chowder with biscuits and desserts. Donations of $4 for adults and $1.50 for children under 12 are being requested.

The Christmas tree lighting and special dedication will take place at 6 p.m. following the supper. This year's program is sponsored by Oxford Bear Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

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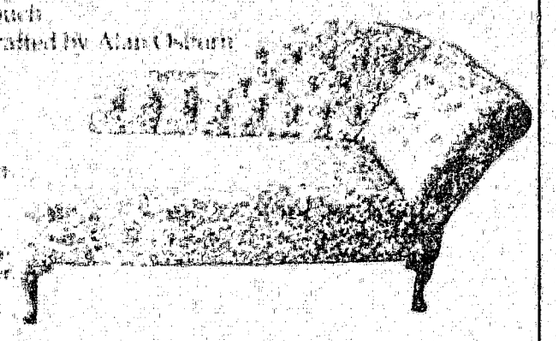

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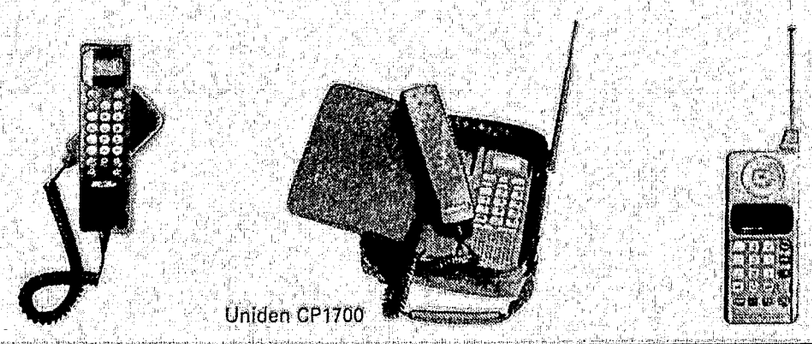

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Andover

by
Karen McKay

The Snow Valley Sno Goers snowmobile club will be holding a meeting at the fire station on Saturday, Dec. 2 at 7 p.m. Those interested in joining the club, and members are urged to attend. Club members are selling tickets for the four snowmobiles the MSA is raffling off this year, tickets are available until Saturday only.

The Calvary Congregational Church will be hosting Special Bible Prophecy meetings with Harold Duff December 1 through 3. The Friday and Saturday meetings will begin at 7 p.m., the Sunday meetings will be held at 9:30 and 10:45 a.m. All are welcome to attend the 12:00 dinner. Mr. Duff will answer questions following the dinner at 1 p.m.

The next meeting of the Craft Fellowship will be on Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 6:30 p.m. at the First Congregational Church CEB. The group will learn how to craft a Caroling Star using a basket weave. All are welcome to attend. Craft ideas are needed. Do you have craft talents you would share with others for an evening? Please call Bonnie at 392-2061.

The APT has decided to hold the Christmas Fair on Thursday, Dec. 7 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the elementary school. Room parents will run the game booths at no cost to the students, as well as face painting. Baked items, balloons, craft items (student and parent) and logo merchandise will be on sale. Hopefully Santa will be making a visit. Check with an AES student if you wish to sponsor a light on the town common Christmas tree, the students will be collecting money for the fundraiser until the end of the week.

Get well wishes to several this week: Dottie Jean Mills and Ralph Stinson.

Sympathy is extended to the Jane Rich family for the death of Ruth Costa, Jane's mother, who died last Monday.

Mill's Market tagged 97 deer during the 1995 season, 30 bear were also tagged. The deer count was up considerably from last year's count of 54.

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North Newry

by
Gil Seeley

Thanksgiving guests at the home of John and Nancy Wight were: Brad, Brenda, Katie, Kurt, Kevin Wight and Retta, Jason and Mandy Berry all of Newry; Michael Wight and Dennis Wilson of Bethel; Terri Littlehale and Ken Bacon of West Paris.

Help us ring in the holiday season by coming to our annual cookie decorating party on Saturday, Dec. 9 at the Newry Town Office. Decorating will go from 4 to 5 p.m. followed by a tree lighting ceremony and Christmas carols. We have even invited Santa to make an appearance. A potluck supper will follow at 5:30 p.m. The Newry Recreation Committee will provide all the cookie decorating supplies and beverages. See you there.

Windy Valley Sno-mobile Club met on Nov. 8 at 7 p.m. at the town building with president Owen Wight presiding. Secretary Sylvia Wight read the notes of the last meeting. Bob Lowell, treasurer, brought the finances up to date. There are now 25 members signed up for the new season. Trails were the main subject of the meeting. Several bridges are washed out from the recent storms and need to be repaired. A culvert near Tom Bonica's residence was washed out and will cost about $2,000 to repair, William Berry of The Puzzell Min. Assoc. asked the club if it could help financially and it was voted to send $100 to help. Leon Dunn says that he is willing to work on bridges on Sundays. There was no safety or first aid cases to report. The cable road will be checked. A lot of trail work is to be done. The next meeting will be Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 6 p.m. at the town building with a potluck supper and X-mas gift exchange.

Karlene Bachelder, Rena Powers and yours truly enjoyed the Senior Citizen Thanksgiving dinner on Nov. 19 given by the Telstar Regional High School National Honor Society. Toni Robertson and Beth LaVallee saw to it that everything went along as planned. The bad weather didn't stop the hundreds or more seniors from attending and enjoying the delicious turkey dinner (and there was plenty) mmm...good. The entertainment was introduced by Dan Emerson and Sara Richardson, and it was great. It was nice to meet old friends and make new ones. There was plenty of door prizes. It was a great day inside even if it was miserable outside...See you next year. Thank you all and God Bless.

Betsy Clark, Karlene Bachelder, Gil Seeley and Olive Anderson of the "Newry Bowling Gang" were at the Oxford Lanes in Rumford one day last week. Rena Powers and Jim Anderson were guests. On the overall scores, Karlene was high on both the singles and the triples, she had three spares, Betsy two spares and Gil one spare.

Michelle and Paul Josephson of Yarmouth were in North Newry to spend Thanksgiving Day with her grandmother and grandfather, Karlene and Ras Bachelder. I was there also to enjoy a delicious turkey dinner and fixings...Thank God for good friends and neighbors.

Happy Birthday to Brenda Wight. Wishing you the best; today and always.

Upton

by
Arline Bernier

Gene Gagnon won $37.50 when he brought the first buck into Upton Trading Post. It was an 8-point buck weighing 228 pounds. In 1992 Mr. Gagnon won the prize for the heaviest and last.

The hours at Upton Trading Post have changed with the season. Monday through Wednesday the store is open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Customers have an extra hour Thursday through Saturday as it extends to 9 p.m.

Sunday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Jerry's friendly face, Amy's beautiful visage and little Matthew's charm will greet you while you browse through the stocking stuffers, books, art supplies, and, yes, Ron's jams, jellies and pickles as well as blueberry syrup from another supplier. If you hit it lucky they may have maple sugar candy on hand.

Now the deer can take No Hunting signs seriously, claiming the last of the apples and green growth in open fields.

Reggie Edwards got a deer this season for the first time in several years.

Frank Pooler also was among the successful hunters.

The planning board met Friday evening with three members present. Both lights and furnace were out. After they got the heat turned on and the office comfortable they held a short meeting. A permit was granted Raymond Chapman for a camp on East B Hill Road, and one to Raymond Bernier for a barn.

Saturday, the 18th, I had a thrilling ride in a small plane as my nephew, Cedric Abbott flew me over Upton, Andover, Grafton and surrounding areas. We went high up alongside Mt. Spec and down low over Rapid River and Umbagog Lakes. My son, Lou, who does not yet have his pilot's license had planned with his cousin, Cedric for the ride and he was with us pointing out places and things which looked so different from that angle.

Violette Bernier's father, John Arata and Avis joined her and Roxy for Thanksgiving Day and dinner.

Ladies Aid meeting was cancelled this week as the secretary decided there was no business which needed to be taken care of.

North Woodstock

by
Sue Silver

The winner of the Pinhook Community Club raffle was Nancy Hall of Mountain Valley High School. The winning ticket was sold by Louise Chapman.

Linda Tyler was in Pinhook on Tuesday and visited Emma Billings and Norma Davis.

Shane Billings surprised his parents on Sunday by arriving home two days earlier than planned for his Thanksgiving break from college. He came with his grandparents, Sterl and Irene Mills, who were on their way home from South Carolina. It's good to have you home, Shane!

On Sunday, I attended a baby shower for Corinne Cooper. Also attending were Tammy and Peg Silver. She received many nice things.

Lori Davis is home from her studies at UMF.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Don Cox who passed away last week.

On Sunday, Tony, Joelle, Errol and I attended a craft party held at Tammy and Bill Silver's in North Norway. They had handcrafted wooden items and they were certainly beautiful.

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South Woodstock

by
Andrea Wing

Ronnie and Jeannie Grover are the proud parents of a baby girl, Raquel Linsey. Congratulations.

Richard Wing is on vacation from MDOT for a couple of weeks.

Joe Pete and Laurene Appleby attended a Thanksgiving dinner at the Multi-purpose Building last weekend. The dinner was given by children in the Adventist Church School for grandparents. Stephanie and Joshua Appleby are their grandchildren that attend the school.

Joe Pete, Laurene, Danielle Appleby, John Dow attended the annual Thanksgiving and Christmas party in West Bath recently. Those attending were Erlon and MaudeAlice Hadley, Cleo Ryerson and Lewis, Donald Ryerson, Dale and Tammy Hadley and family, Walter and Joanne Appleby and family, Keith and Darlene Hadley and family, Peter Heath and Melissa Stevens, Betty and Ray Estabrook, Penny and Chris Morgan and family, Duane and Lisa Ryerson and family, Ray and Elsie Pike. This is always a good time for the families to get together.

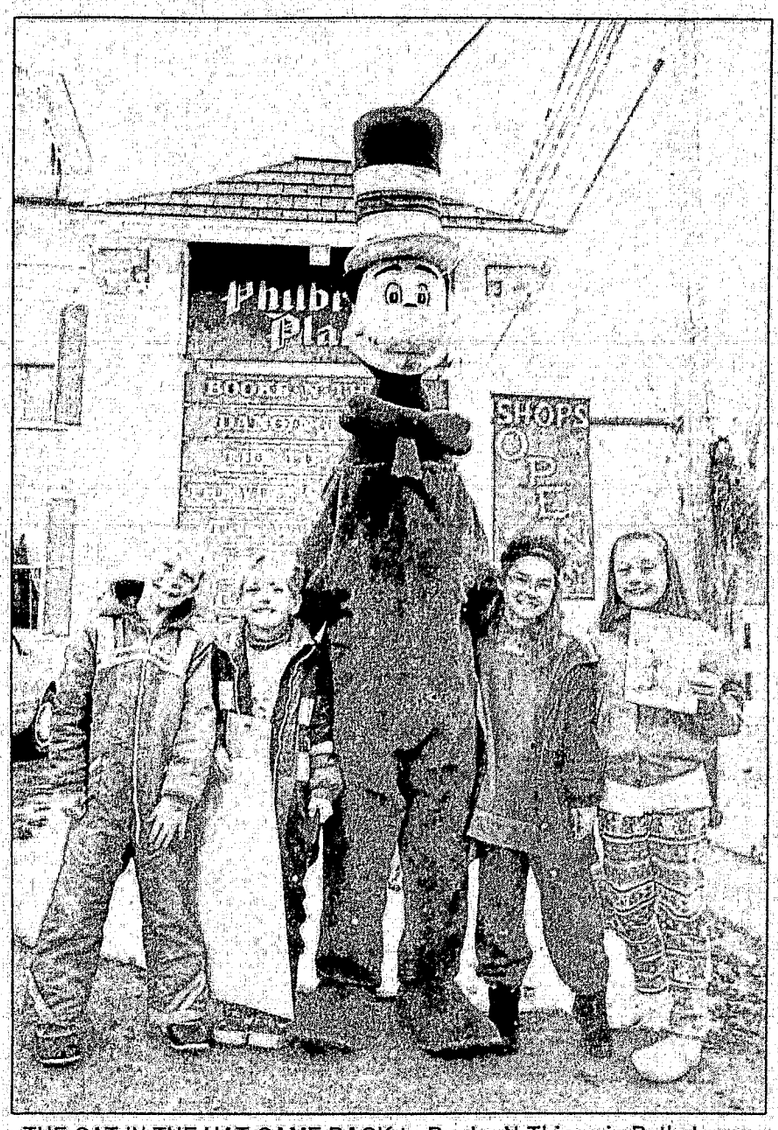
Joe Pete, Laurene and Danielle Appleby spent Thanksgiving Day with their daughter and family, Pat and Doug Stevens.

Paul Cox got a deer this past week.

Buster and Claribel Poland entertained Leon and Rosalie Poland, Evelyn and James Dunn and Randi Mack for Thanksgiving dinner last Thursday. Larry and Pam Poland and four boys, Vicky Hill and Donna Koshiba came by later in the afternoon to pay a visit. Kenny and Sandra Poland made an early Thanksgiving call last Tuesday night and brought a very nice fruit basket. Buster and Claribel received several calls from family and friends wishing them a happy day.

Richard and Andrea Wing's guests for Thanksgiving dinner this year were Doug and Ryan Wing, Jessie Hart, Rick Wing and Sally Smith. Later in the day Andrea's sister, Evelyn and husband, Jim Dunn stopped by for a short visit. Others who came later in the day for a late dinner and pie were: Sarah Hart, Jim Gillies, Kellie Hart, Brad Record, Linsey and Jennie Record and Tony, Troy and Wes Smith.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned not to worry what your friends are thinking about you. They're too busy worrying about what you're thinking about them."



THE CAT IN THE HAT CAME BACK to Books-N-Things in Bethel over the weekend. Shown here with the Dr. Seuss character are (from left): Jason Howe, 7; Shaun Hunt, 7; Sheena Hunt, 10; and Britney Howe, 9. *(Photo by Alison Aloisio)*

East Stoneham

by
Eleanor Nelson

Congratulations to Charles and Melinda Lawrence for getting on the honor roll at their school; also Molly Nelson and Faith Barker. If I missed anyone, will catch up next week. Karter Taylor and Kristin Rolfe got on the honor roll at their school and Heidi Shugars got all A's and B's. Good work, kids! I know it takes a lot of hard work and studying to get these honors.

The new addition at the Stoneham Fire Station is all done except for the new carpet and sink which will be installed soon. This is a really nice room, and I expect it will be used and enjoyed many times by the town residents.

A few Thanksgiving fruit, etc., platters were put together for community residents on Tuesday afternoon.

Al Yemma is at present at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. Hope you'll be better and home soon, Al.

Kate Flynn has been discharged from D'Youville, Lewiston, and is with her sister at Cape Cod.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Hannah F. Richardson Tent No. 19 will meet on Nov. 29 at the home of Joyce Gouin in Norway. This will be our Christmas gift exchange and nomination of officers. Also, members are asked to bring something to be taken to the Veterans' Hospital.

Greenwood City

by
Colista Morgan

I was once asked by a morose person: "What makes anyone think a brook or a river is so special? They are just water, often muddy, running down hill aren't they?"

I wanted to ask if he had seen or sat and watched one for an hour.

A river is really a summation of a whole valley whether it is very large or small like my Sanborn River or the Morgan Brook, on which I have spent many hours. Rivers not only shape the land but the life and the culture of that valley. The trees that grow along the river banks are special to that river. That river has its own swarming life, its fish, its reptiles. To think of a river as just water is to ignore the greater part of it.

If one looks for the source he must travel up the river. Walking beside a brook he must climb a hillside and there will be a spring. There, beside the spring on a wooded hillside, one can look out over the land and see how the flowing water is his destiny.

There is so much life along a river: animals, flowers, plants, fish, trees and insects. The age-old lure of flowing water entrances man from the time of toy waterwheels in a gutter until rheumatic joints, old and frail in body. What makes a river so special? It is useless to try to answer, for a person who asks would never understand the answer. Brooks and rivers are special just because they are brooks or rivers.

Since writing last I have met with two groups of teachers. One gathering was small with only six of us. We had lunch in Norway, then spent the afternoon at the home of Doris Slattery where we had a fun time. The other group was the Oxford County Retired Teachers. We met at Locke Mills and had a very nice lunch and a good attendance. The program was very interesting.

Zilpha DiArenzo, who has been here at her summer home since spring, left on Sunday to spend the winter with her family in Pennsylvania and Georgia.

One morning while eating my breakfast I was surprised to see a tufted titmouse at my bird feeder eating with the chickadees and nuthatches. He returned the next morning but I haven't seen him since, but do hope he returns.

High Street

West Paris
by
Russell Yates

Howdy, folks. Another Monday morning has rolled around and I, for one, don't like looking out the window and seeing all of that white stuff that fell over the weekend, but I can't seem to do much about getting it to disappear again.

Last Monday morning found us returning home after spending the night at Inn Town Motel in South Paris, because we had no electricity to run the furnace. We succeeded in getting the gas heater to light, so we stayed here. Peggy went down street in the afternoon to get repairs for another kerosene lamp, but the thing was broken and still wouldn't work.

We had lost our power on Sunday morning about 4:15 and were getting concerned about losing frozen vegetables in our two freezers, but were lucky and didn't lose a thing.

Everything was quite white with snow when we got up on Wednesday morning, but it changed to rain and warmed up so the snow all melted here.

Wednesday afternoon, we went to West Bethel to visit the Emerson Merrills.

Late Thursday afternoon, we went to West Paris Grange Hall to help what we could, as the patients from Chapel Valley Home had been invited to come for a Thanksgiving supper and the entertainment that followed. There were several that came over, and we hope they enjoyed their evening away from their usual home. West Paris Grange invites them over for a good Thanksgiving supper and entertainment each year.

Saturday was a day for inside activity. I did a load of laundry in the morning and hung it inside to dry, as it was pretty cold. Then I tackled the job of sorting over some clothing that I can no longer wear because of the distance around my waist. They tell us to stay active, not to eat too much, so as to help at keeping the weight down. Well, my appetite has seldom failed me, and old age and health problems have slowed me to a snail's pace, so it's difficult to win.

Peggy attended the dance at West Paris Grange Hall Saturday evening and reported the attendance was small. She had been lucky at another dance and had won two free tickets, so this was a free evening for her.

It either snowed a little or sleeted just about all day yesterday, making it some slippery under foot. We had previously planned to go to Chef's Table for their senior citizen special dinner, but because of the weather we stayed home. We did go to the new Veteran's Home in South Paris in the afternoon, as Richard Felt's musical group was playing for the patients. A few patients came to listen to the music, but some of them weren't able to be brought out to enjoy the music. I was quite surprised when they wheeled Ivan Garey into the room. He was one of our close neighbors when we lived on the Sunday River Road in Bethel. Ivan is not very well and has lost much of his sight due to eye problems.

Yesterday, the Raymond Macks attended the 50th wedding anniversary for Lillian and Leonard Newton of Buckfield.

Wednesday, Gary Robbins from Ciambro Corp., called on Raymond Mack and brought him a company hat and a large turkey. This is a very nice gesture they do for their former employees.

Bertha Benoit called on Mary Lovejoy on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Whittemore were callers at the Lovejoy home Tuesday evening.

Hope Lovejoy worked at the Craft Fair at Oxford Hills High School on Saturday.

Joel Martino and Alan Lovejoy from Oxford have been doing some hunting in the area and have called at the Lovejoy home.

The Raymond Macks visited Bob Dunn in Buckfield one day last week.

Archie Lovejoy returned to work at Chadbourne's after a two-week vacation.

There will be a dance at West Paris Grange Hall on Dec. 2, with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. The proceeds from this dance will go to benefit "Christmas for Kids," so it surely is for a good cause.

Oxford Pomona Grange will meet at Oxford Grange Hall on Dec. 5. There will not be a supper before the meeting, but there will be potluck refreshments after the meeting. This will be our Christmas party and each member is to bring a gift for someone of the same sex, with a value of $2 to $3.

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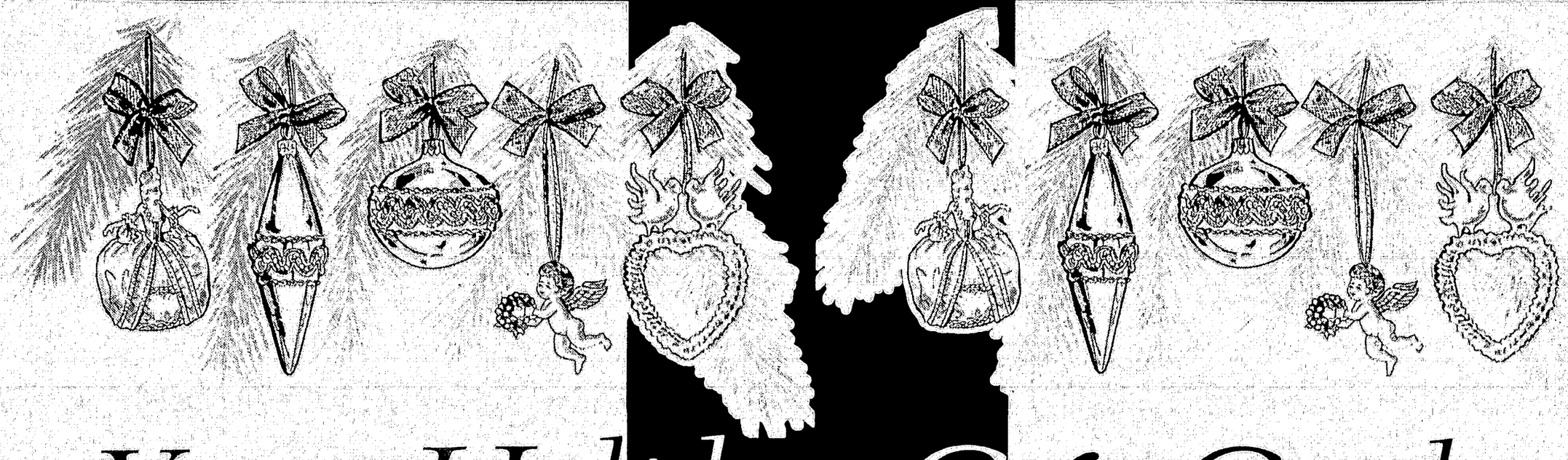

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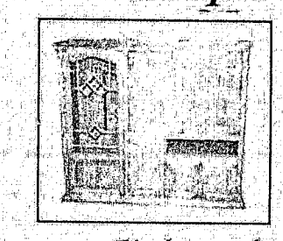

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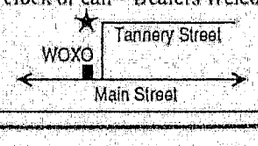

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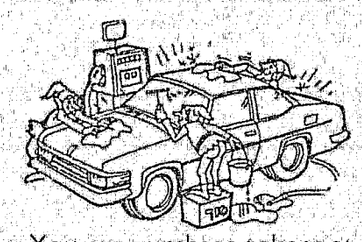

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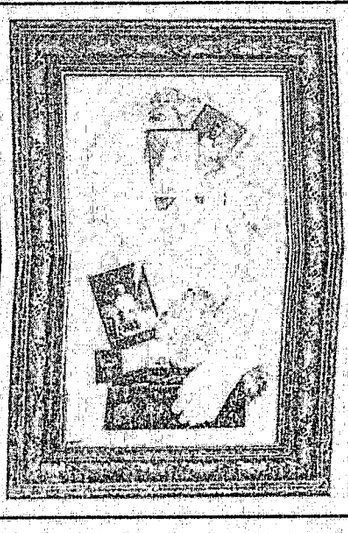

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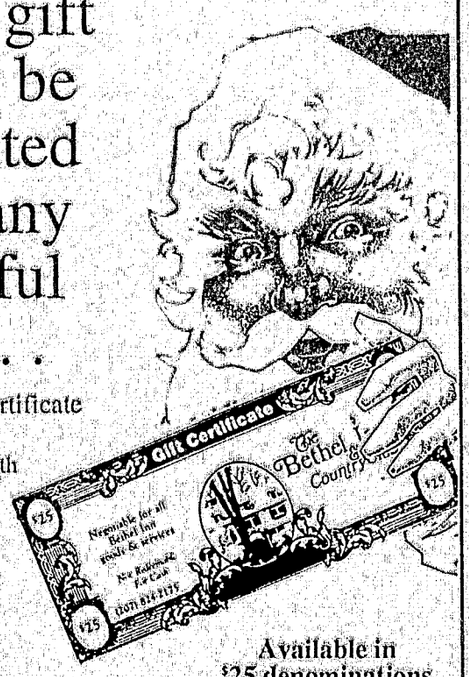

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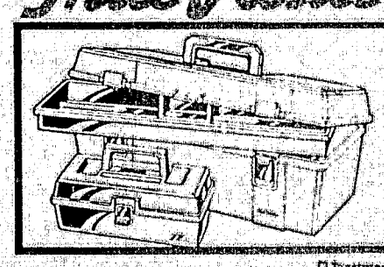

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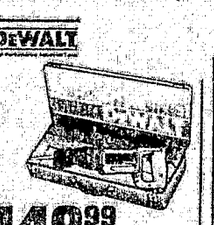

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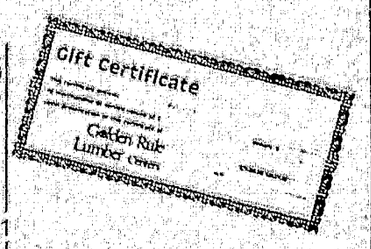

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LT. ALEXANDER CARR

Navy Lt. Alexander E. Carr, son of Cherie A. Davis of Hanover, has returned to San Diego after completing a six-month overseas deployment with Carrier Airborne Early Warning Squadron 117 embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln, which included duty in the Persian Gulf near Iraq.

Carr is one of 164 squadron members aboard the ship who completed the more than 38,000-mile voyage. Carr's unit was part of the USS Abraham Lincoln Battle Group which included more than 80 tactical aircraft, and ships and submarines armed with Tomahawk cruise missiles.

The 1987 graduate of Portland High School joined the Navy in May 1991. Carr is a 1991 graduate of Boston University, Boston, Mass., with a BSBA degree.

ADAM D. LUXTON

Adam D. Luxton has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Enlistment Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Farmington.

Luxton, a senior at Telstar High School, Bethel, will report to Fort Benning, Ga., for military basic training July 17, 1996.

He is the son of David C. and Deborah L. Luxton of Bethel.

KARLTON J. COLE

Karlton J. Cole has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Enlistment Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Farmington.

Cole, a 1994 graduate of Mt. Valley High School, Rumford, will report for military basic training Jan. 3, 1996.

He is the son of Marvin L. Cole of Bryant Pond and Avis J. Kenniston of Rumford.

SEAMAN ALFRED E. MARIN

Navy Seaman Alfred E. Marin, a 1983 graduate of Telstar Regional High School of Bethel, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the eight-week program, Marin completed a variety of training, which included classroom study, practical hands-on instruction, and an emphasis on physical fitness. In particular, Marin learned naval customs, first aid, firefighting, water safety and survival, and a variety of safety skills required for working around ships and aircarft.

STAFF SGT. KAULBACK

Marine Staff Sgt. Spencer T. Kaulback, son of L.T. Kaulback of Andover, recently received the Expert Recruiter Award while serving at Marine Corps Recruiting Station Eastern New England, Portsmouth, N.H.

Kaulback was presented the award for signing three or more new service contracts in one month. Displaying outstanding professionalism, Kaulback recruited high-quality Marine prospects through a superb public speaking, advertising, community relations and personal interview program.

The 1982 graduate of Rumford High School joined the Marine Corps in June 1982.

GOULD SENIOR COMMENDED

Gould Academy senior Claire E. Brassil has been named a Commended Student in the 1996 National Merit Scholarship Program.

A Letter of Commendation from the school and the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, which conducts the program, will be presented by Gould's associate headmaster to this scholastically talented student. Brassil is a member of Gould's championship field hockey team and will compete for the cross-country ski team this winter.

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NEW POSTMASTER AT LOCKE MILLS

Carolyn "Carrie" Pike was installed as the new postmaster of Locke Mills on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at the Locke Mills Post Office. The oath of office was administered by Barbara A. Patterson, district manager, Customer Service and Sales for the U.S. Postal Service, District of Maine.

The new postmaster started her career with the Postal Service in 1985 as a part-time flexible clerk at the Buckfield Post Office. Since that time she has also served as a part-time flexible carrier at the Rumford Post Office. In 1989 Carrie converted to a full-time city carrier at Rumford. Her detail assignments included serving as officer in charge at the Wayne and West Paris post offices.

Pike, as postmaster, is responsible for two other employees handling the mail for 250 post office boxholders, and 56 deliveries on the rural route.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

The Crescent Park School PTA will sponsor "Breakfast with Santa," on Saturday morning, Dec. 2. The breakfast will be from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m., with Santa arriving at approximately 9 a.m.

Participating kids can color holiday pictures, make decorations for the tree at the Bethel Common, have a breakfast snack (milk and donut holes) and tell their Christmas wish to Santa. Pictures with Santa will also be available for a small fee.

This event is free and open to all.

MANAGEMENT CLUB

The Western Maine Management Club will meet at the Shorelands Restaurant in Harrison on Dec. 4. Social hour will be from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., dinner and speaker will follow. Dinner choices are baked haddock, baked chicken, or lasagna. The cost will be $15 per person.

The speaker will be Greg Fraser from the Adult Activity Center. He will present information regarding the Council on Transition.

Reservations for this meeting are being taken by Terri Grover of Fred P. Saunders Co. in Bridgton (647-3331). Please indicate your dinner choice when reserving no later than Friday, Dec. 1.

Western Maine Management Club, started in 1961, is made up of business people in western Maine who meet on the first Monday of each month to discuss issues and ideas timely to today's business climate. New members are always welcome.

ROSS SWAIN SIGNING

On Thursday, Nov. 30, Island Books in Rumford will host ragtime's piano player, Ross Swain of Andover.

Swain will be at the bookstore from 6 to 8 p.m., autographing copies of his debut recording, "ragTime On My Hands."

Swain will also perform selections from the release. Refreshments will be served. Island Books is located at 144 Congress Street, Rumford.

For more information call 545-2413 or 364-2389.

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RICHARDSON LAKES BOOK

Page proofs are being checked, layouts determined, and final decisions made on the Bethel Historical Society's latest publication project, "The Richardson Lakes: Jewels in the Rangeley Chain" by the late Herbert P. Shirrefs.

Edited by Society Curator of Collections Randall H. Bennett, the book provides numerous insights into the colorful history of a large protion of the Rangeley Lakes region of western Maine. Over 500 pages in length and more than 300 photos, maps, and illustrations, this publication will provide the first in-depth history of the area from its geological formation through settlement to its present use as one of the state's leading recreational centers. Here is provided information on railroads, stage lines, sporting camps, steamboats, fishing, hunting, and well-to-do "sports." Available in both cloth and soft cover, the book will also contain a large folded map from the 1876 Farrar's Guide, one of the first accurate maps of the region.

Those wishing to take advantage of savings by ordering at special pre-publication prices can still do so until the book comes out later in the year. The price for the hard cover is $29.95 plus Maine sales tax and $3 for shipping the first book and $1 for each additional volume. The price for soft cover is $22.95 plus tax and shipping. After publication hardcover will be $39.95 and paperback $29.95. Anyone wishing to order, should call the Bethel Historical Society at 207-824-2908 or write P.O. Box 12, Bethel, Maine 04217-0012.

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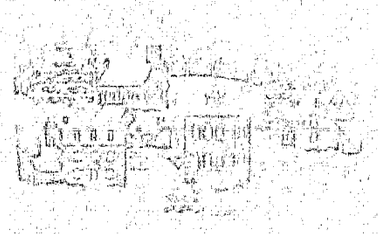

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Friday & Saturday December 1 & 2

Friday Evening

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Saturday

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12 Noon - 2 pm:
A Taste of Bethel, Bethel Inn Conference Center
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Santa Visits Local Shops

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THURSDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 30, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Cheers	Movie: "Backtrack"				News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade
6	Feedback	Seinfeld	Friends	Caroline	Seinfeld	Frasier	Salutes Jack Benny		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ghosts, Psych		Commish				News	
10	News-Lehrer		Maine.	Maine	Mystery!			Yesyears		
(11)	Sportsctr.	NFL	NFL Football: New York Giants at Arizona Cardinals						NFL Sportscenter	
(12)	Club Dance	News	McBride: Ahead		Music City Tonight			News	Club Dance	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Murder, She Wrote		New York News		48 Hours		News	
(14)	Celtics	NBA Action	Skiing Magazine on TV		Cycle World		Motorsports Hour		Italian Soccer Highlights	
(15)	"Silent Tongue" Cont'd		Fields of Fire: Sports		Movie: "American Yakuza"			Mr. Show	Inside the NFL	
(17)	MMC	Hollywood	Toy Story	American Teacher Awards						Madame
(18)	"Blankman" Cont'd		Movie: "Bank Robber"				"Naked Gun 33 1/3: The Final Insult"		Movie. "True Lies"	
(20)	Front Row	NHL Hockey: Pittsburgh Penguins at Boston Bruins						Bowling: ABC World Team Challenge		
(21)	Commish		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Locked Up: A Mother's Rage"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Videos	Videos	Idols of the Game				Idols of the Game			
(24)	Doug	Clarissa	Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Kotter	Van Dyke
(25)	Naked Alibi	Hollywood	Movie: "Five Card Stud"				Movie: "Magnificent Obsession"			
(26)	Wings	Wings	Movie: "The Woman Who Sinned"				WWF Wrestling Raw		Wings	Wings
(27)	Rockford Files		Biography		Christmas Memory		Peter and the Wolf		Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		Perry Mason: The Case of the Poisoned Pen				News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Columbo			News	NBA Basketball: Bulls at Grizzlies			
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

SUNDAY EVENING DECEMBER 3, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Philadelphia Flyers						News	H. Patrol	Hercules-Jrnys.	
(5)	Movie: "Pack of Lies"				Movie: "Columbo: A Bird in the Hand"				In Touch	
6	Extremely Weird		Mad-You	HopeGlori	Movie: "Shadow of a Doubt"				News	Outer Limits
8	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Bye Bye Birdie"							
10	High on Maine		Nature			Great Performances				
(11)	NFL Primetime		NFL Football: Buffalo Bills at San Francisco 49ers						NFL Sportscenter	
(12)	Racing	RaceDay	Championship Rodeo		Road Bass	Fishing	Sportsman	Outdoors	Road Test	Truckin'
13	60 Minutes		Cybill	Almost	Movie: "The Haunting of Helen Walker"				News	
(14)	Equestrian: Washington International						College Football: SEC Championship			
(15)	Baby-Day	Little Lulu	Movie: "Speed"				Movie: "Sugartime"			
(17)	Movie: "D2: The Mighty Ducks"				Travis Tritt: Going Home			Arlington Nat'l-America		To Kill
(18)	"The Next Karate Kid"		Movie: "Innocent Blood"				Movie. "The Killing Box"			Scanners
(20)	Replay	Women's College Soccer: NCAA Div. I Championship					Pro Beach Volleyball: Jose Cuervo Series -- Finals			
(21)	"Attack on Fear" Cont'd		Movie: "Shadow of Obsession"				Commish		Barbara Walters	
(22)	Movie: "The Man With the Golden Gun"				National Geographic Explorer				Earth	Paid Prog
(24)	My Brother	R'house	Nick News	Lucy Show	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Newhart	Dragnet	Kotter
(25)	"Return to Peyton Place"		Movie: "El Dorado"				Movie: "The Sons of Katie Elder"			
(26)	"My Antonia" Cont'd		Murder, She Wrote		Renegade		Silk Stalkings		Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Ancient Mysteries		Last Days of World War II						Best of Comic Relief	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	GOP TV: Rising Tide		News	Matters	Barnaby Jones	
(34)	PinkyBrain	Kirk	Sister, Sis	Cleghorne!	First Time	Simon	News		Night Court	Waikiki
(39)	Capital	Crossfire	Prime News	Sport Sun	CNN Presents		World News		Sports	NBA Wk

FRIDAY EVENING DECEMBER 1, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Cheers	Movie: "All Dogs Go to Heaven"				News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade
6	Home Imp	Seinfeld	Unsolved Mysteries		Dateline		Homicide: Life		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Step-Step	Mr. Cooper	20/20		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Blackadder's Christmas		Mr. Bean	Mr. Bean	Are You Being Served?	
(11)	Sportsctr.	World Cup Skiing		Speedweek	NASCAR Winston Cup Awards				NASCAR	Sportsctr.
(12)	Club Dance	News	Championship Rodeo		Music City Tonight			News	Club Dance	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Frosty	Frosty	Tony Bennett: Here's to		Trevis Sisters Christmas		News	
(14)	Game Time	NBA Showcase: New Jersey Nets at Boston Celtics					Court	Game	Football	Hockey Wk
(15)	Inside the NFL		Movie: "Judgment Night"				Movie: "C.I.A. Codename Alex"			
(17)	Movie: Return to Oz				Movie: Labyrinth"				Pop-It	Lily Rand
(18)	Movie: Flowers Cont'd		Movie: The Spy Within				Movie: "Trading Places"			Hit List
(20)	College Hockey: Massachusetts-Lowell at Boston College					Planet X	Transworld Sport		Hockey Wk	Hockey
(21)	Commish		Wedding of a Lifetime II		Movie: Just Between Friends				Sliders	Mysteries
(22)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Honey, I Shrunk the Kids"				Movie: "Ben, the Hamster"			
(24)	Doug	Clarissa	Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Kotter	Van Dyke
(25)	Videos	Movie	Movie: "One-Eyed Jacks"				Movie: "A Spectacular Named Desire"			
(26)	Simpsons	Bl'Matz	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Lady in Waiting"				Dateline	Lunch
(27)	Rockford Files		Biography		Investigative Reports		Ancient Mysteries		Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Hercules-Jrnys		Xena: Warrior Princess		News		Night Court	Simon
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

MONDAY EVENING DECEMBER 4, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Cheers	Star Trek: Voyager		Nowhere Man		News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade
6	Women's College Basketball				Movie: "Deadly Family Secrets"				News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Billy Graham Crusade		NFL Football: Chicago Bears at Detroit Lions					
10	News-Lehrer		Body, Mind and Soul: Mystery & Magic		Body, Mind and Soul: Mystery & Magic				Are You Being Served?	
(11)	Sportsctr.	NFL Prime Monday			Great American Events		Champ. Dog		Business	Sportsctr.
(12)	Club Dance	News	Mannheim Christmas		Christmas With Vince G.			News	Club Dance	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Nanny	Can't Hurry	Murphy B.	Society	Chicago Hope		News	
(14)	Game Time	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Boston Celtics					Court	College Basketball		
(15)	Computers	Specials	The Nightmare Before Christmas				Movie: "On Deadly Ground"			Dragon Zone
(17)	Tonkeens	Clean Girl	Aventua		Movie: "Lawrence of Arabia"					
(18)	Mystic Lennon II Cont'd		Movie: "Tempo's Tattoo"				Movie: Private Obsession			Movie: Powder Burn
(20)	Front Row	Basketball: Phoenix Desert Dogs at Scottsdale Scorpions					Cross Country Champ.		Squash: PSA Classic	
(21)	Commish		Movie: "Eddie"				Movie: "Eddie"			
(22)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "A View to a Kill"						Movie: Thunderb.	
(24)	Tiny Toon	Tiny Toon	Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Tax	Kotter	Van Dyke
(25)	Adventure	Dance!	Movie: Kiss of Death				Movie: Backlash		Movie: Kiss of Death	
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		WWF Monday Raw		Forever Knight		Wings	Wings
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Biography		Point		Miss Marple		Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Movie: "A Dog Gone Heaven"				News		Night Court	Simon
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING DECEMBER 2, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Washington Bullets					News	Movie: "Rocky"		
(5)	Chevy		Hart to Hart: Two Harts in Three-Quarter Time				Movie: "Stand by Your Man"			
6	Home Imp	College Hockey: Merrimack at University of Maine			Home Court		Sisters		News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	College Football: Southeastern Conference Championship -- Arkansas vs. Florida							News	Take Cyn't
10	Bruce Hornsby: Road Tested				Bruce Hornsby and Friends			Dead Ahead - Grateful Dead		
(11)	College Basketball: Illinois at Duke				College Basketball: Arizona State at Oklahoma State				Sportscenter	
(12)	Talent Roundup		Opry	Grand Opry	Statler Bros.		Yesteryear		Opry	Grand Opry
13	Star Trek: Deep Space 9	Medicine Woman			Touched by an Angel		Walker, Texas Ranger		News	
(14)	NHL Hockey: Florida Panthers at Hartford Whalers						Boxing		Futbol	Horse R.
(15)	"Off and Running" Cont'd	Movie: "Interview With the Vampire"					Comedy Hour		Movie: "The Fugitive	
(17)	Movie: "White Fang 2: Myth of the White Wolf"				Boyz II Men: Going Home			Movie: "The Great Outdoors"		
(18)	"Enemy Mine" Cont'd		Movie: "T-Force"				Movie: "Dominion"			
(20)	NHL Hockey: Buffalo Sabres at Boston Bruins						Skiing Magazine on TV		Winter	Hockey
(21)	Shaking Richard: Cont'd		Movie: "Guilty by Suspicion"				Commish		Girls' Night Out	
(22)	WCW Saturday Night		Movie: "For Your Eyes Only"						The Spy Who Loved Me	
(24)	Monsters	Rugrats	Alex Mack	All That	RenStimpy	You Afraid?	I Love Lucy	Lucy Show	Lucy and Desi	
(25)	Guide-Married		Movie: "A Place in the Sun"					Movie: "Cleopatra"		
(26)	Best Little	Weird Sci.	Movie: "Lionheart"				Wings	Duckman	"Rage and Honor"	
(27)	Ancient Mysteries		Biography This Week		Movie: "The Last Days of Patton"					
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News	Paid Prog.	Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Riches	Movie: "Bejewelled"				News	NBA Basketball: Bulls at Clippers		
(39)	Capital	Politics	Prime News	Sports Sat.	Larry King Weekend		World News	Sport Life	Sports Tonight	

TUESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 5, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Cheers	Movie: "The Shamrock Conspiracy"				News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade
6	Home Imp	Seinfeld	Wings	Newsradio	Frasier	Wings	Dateline		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Research	Hudson St.	Home Imp.	Coach	Barb Wallers		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Quest		Carly Simon: Live at Grand Central			Jazz Wrld	Served	Red Green
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: Michigan at Louisiana State				College Basketball: Mississippi at Arkansas				Sportsctr.
(12)	Club Dance	News	Marty Party IV		Music City Tonight			News	Club Dance	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	The Client		Movie: "Marked for Death"				News	
(14)	Tonite	Club Golf	College Basketball: St. John's at Syracuse				Skiing	Skiing	Skiing Magazine on TV	
(15)	Police Academy: Mission		Movie: "Interview With the Vampire"				Taxicab Confessions 2		Movie: "Trial by Jury"	
(17)	Movie: "The Nutcracker Prince"			Match Girl	Scenic New Mexico		Movie: "It Happened One Christmas"			
(18)	"Leonard Part 6" Cont'd		Movie: "Stalked"			Movie: "48 HRS"			Movie: "Bad Blood"	
(20)	Front Row	NHL Hockey: Dallas Stars at Boston Bruins						Skiing	Snowbrd	Skiing
(21)	Commish		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Home for Christmas"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Videos	Videos	Movie: "Octopussy"						Movie: "Live and Let Die	
(24)	Doug	Clarissa	Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Kotter	Van Dyke
(25)	Pony Sold	Hwood Rp	Movie: "The Best of Everything"				Movie: "Female on the Beach"			
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Boxing: Bobby Czyz vs. Ricky Jackson				Wings	Wings
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Biography		Touch of Frost				Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Movie: "A Stranger Among Us"				News		Night Court	Simon
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

WEDNESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 6, 1995

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Miami Heat					News	M*A*S*H	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade
6	Home Imp	Seinfeld	Seaquest 2032		Dateline		Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ellen	Drew Carey	Grace	Truth	Primetime Live		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Carreras, Domingo, Pavarotti With Mehta: The Three Tenors in Concert						Served	Red Green
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Basketball: Oklahoma at Purdue				College Basketball: Wake Forest at Massachusetts				Sportsctr.
(12)	Club Dance	News	Sam's Place Christmas		Music City Tonight			News	Club Dance	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Charlie Br.	Willowbys	Movie: "The Face on the Milk Carton"				News	
(14)	NHL Hockey: New York Islanders at Hartford Whalers						Game	College Basketball: Pitt at BC		
(15)	"Class Act" Cont'd		Movie: "Sugar Hill"				Dream On	Sanders	Crypt Tales	Sugartime
(17)	Anne of Avonlea		Movie: "One Magic Christmas"			Candlelight	Honeymooners		Annette	Zorro
(18)	"Blue Chips" Cont'd		Movie: "Colonel Chabert"				Movie: "Black Rain"			
(20)	Front Row	Bowling: ABC World Team Challenge			Ali vs. Norton II		Horseworld		Thorghbrd	Bowling
(21)	Commish		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Always Remember I Love You"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Funniest Home Videos	NBA Basketball: New York Knicks at Chicago Bulls						Movie: "You Only Live Twice"		
(24)	Christmas Toy		Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Kotter	Van Dyke
(25)	"Just for You" Cont'd		Movie: "The Killers"			Movie: "Come Back, Little Sheba"				The Killers
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Where's the Money, Noreen?"				Wings	Wings
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Biography		American Justice		20th Century		Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Sister, Sis.	Parent	Wayans	Unhappily	News		Night Court	Simon
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

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(5)	Waltons		Highway to Heaven		Rescue 911		700 Club		Shade	Shade
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(20)	Front Row	Bowling: ABC World Team Challenge			Ali vs. Norton II		Horseworld		Thorghbrd	Bowling
(21)	Commish		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Always Remember I Love You"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Funniest Home Videos	NBA Basketball: New York Knicks at Chicago Bulls						Movie: "You Only Live Twice"		
(24)	Christmas Toy		Munsters	Jeannie	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Kotter	Van Dyke
(25)	"Just for You" Cont'd		Movie: "The Killers"			Movie: "Come Back, Little Sheba"				The Killers
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Where's the Money, Noreen?"				Wings	Wings
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Biography		American Justice		20th Century		Law & Order	
(32)	Streets of San Francisco		That Girl	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Barnaby Jones	
(34)	Fam. Mat.	Newhart	Sister, Sis.	Parent	Wayans	Unhappily	News		Night Court	Simon
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Politics	Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

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15 Up-front money
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31 5,280 feet
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36 Big rig
37 City on the Oka
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41 Make amends
42 Buddhist movement
43 Singer McLean
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58 Mary of "Where Eagles Dare"
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61 Ernest Borgnine film
62 Hang around
63 Utah city
65 Stroke of luck
66 Buenos —
67 What trumpets do
70 Winter mo.
72 Pursue
73 Like Gentle Ben
74 Host
75 Towels and tablecloths
76 Actor Pitt
77 Stimpy's pal
78 Mr. Lucky's card
80 Common contraction
81 Dramatic ending
82 Currier's partner
83 "Waves of grain" color
89 Drenched
90 Frank
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92 Went by SST
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94 Urban atmosphere
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98 Composer Ned
99 Smacked a Philistine
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102 Role for Shirley
103 Harvest
104 Dressing gown
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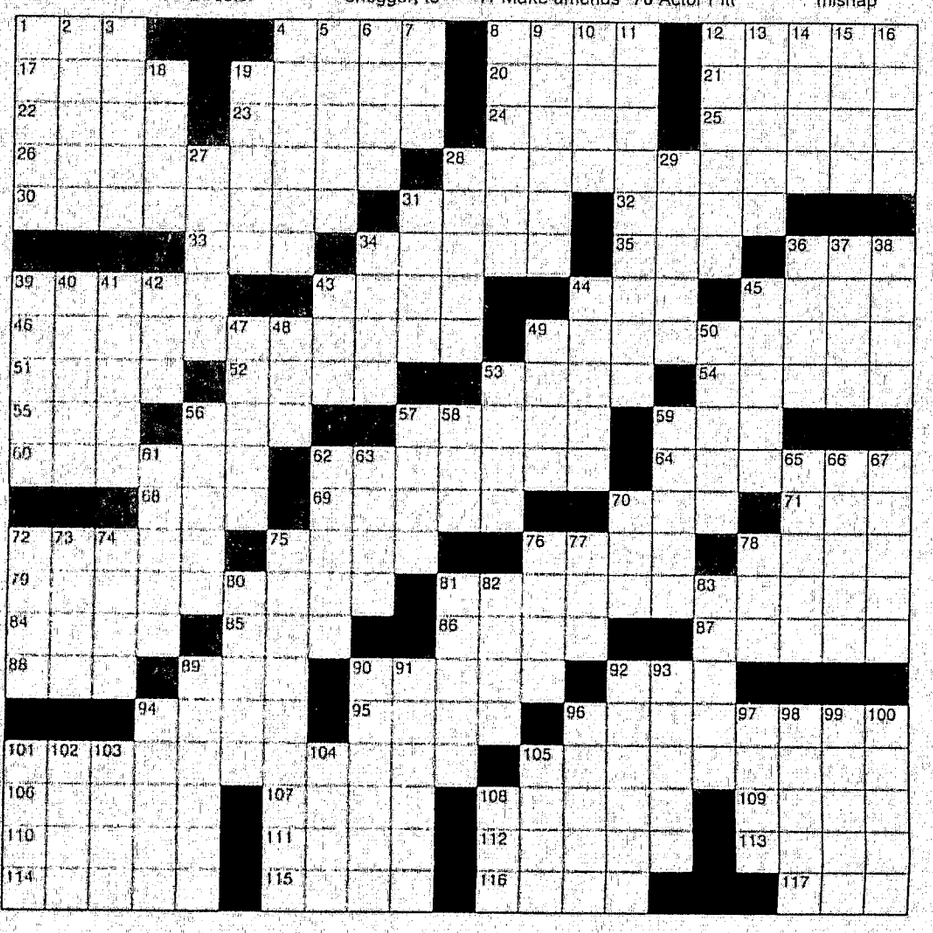

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SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY READIES FOR OPENING

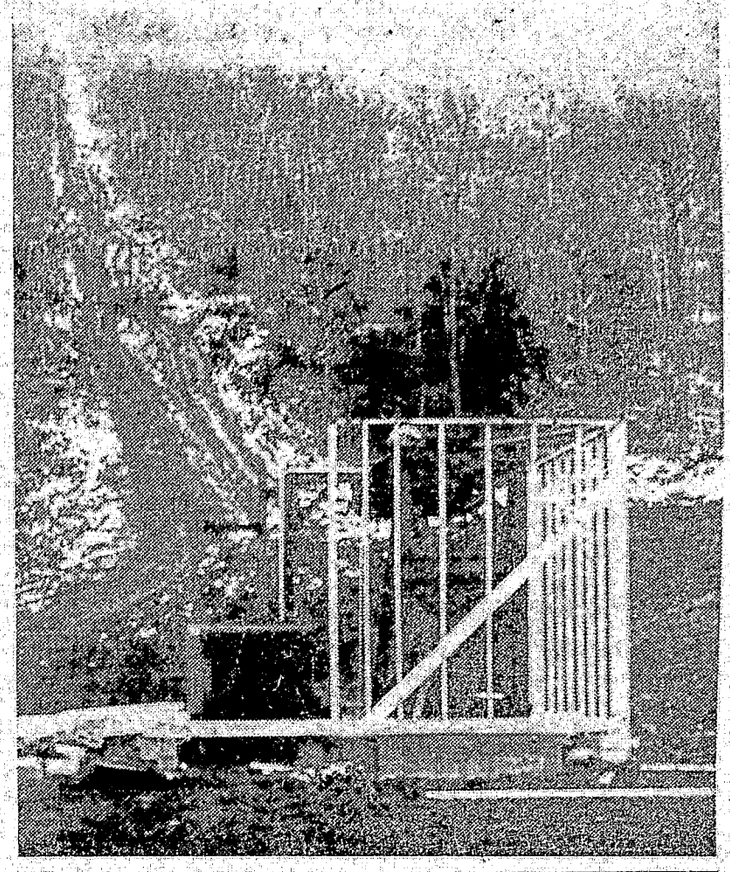
The last minute touches are being applied to the lodge, and the lift is ready for attachment of cable and T-bars. The remaining brush and stumps on the extreme upper portion of the open slope are being cleared this week and final grading at the foot of the lift is now in progress.

Many local families are taking advantage of the family season rate of $125, and individuals are availing themselves of the $50 season rate. Purchase of these season tickets before the fifteenth of December reduces these prices to $112.50 and $45. Youngsters under 14 may purchase a season ticket at just half the individual season rate.

SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY TO HOLD PRICE LINE

Sunday River Skiway, outstanding new ski area in Bethel, is determined to hold the reins on the runaway cost of living and has promised to provide top drawer skiing for New England families at prices they can afford. Prices announced this week include weekday tickets at $3.50 and a weekend and holiday rate of $4.00, with half day rates of $2.00 and $2.50. Many skiers will wish to take advantage of the sesaon rates offered by the new area. Barker Mountain, site of the Skiway, with its 140 inch annual snowfall and attendant long season from December through April makes the family season rate of $125 and individual season rate of $50 look most attractive to the budget minded skier. A 10% discount is offered to those purchasing season tickets before December 15. Youngsters under 14 years of age may ski at just half the above rates.

Maine's third major ski area comes of age this year with promise of exciting and varied terrain for skiers from novice to expert. Work on the lodge and slopes is nearing completion, and present plans call for a mid-December opening.



Sunday River Skiway Base Terminal and Lift Line. The new area has a 2,700-foot novice trail serviced by the T-bar lift and a 600 foot rope tow. The intermediate trail covers 4,000 feet and is serviced by a 3,200-foot T-bar lift. Persons using the T-bar for the novice area get off at the 1,500-foot level.

There are 110 T-bars operated by a 120 h. p. diesel engine, with a lift capacity of 1,000 skiers an hour.

SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY OPEN

Twelve inches of new powder snow has given the Sunday River ski area excellent skiing. The growing crowd of skiers at Barker Mountain have been unanimous in their praise of the lift, lodge facilities and varied skiing terrain. Novice skiers have skied principally on the beginners' slope where even the small fry have found skiing within their capabilities. Intermediate and expert skiers are using the 200 foot wide main slope, and the skiing there has drawn rave notices.

This week end should bring the area its first real crowd, and additional parking areas have been cleared in anticipation. Already noticed is the influx of cars from scattered parts of the state along with several out of state groups, and the road to the area should be well traveled this week end.

The new snow cover which fell at the beginning of the week added the finishing touches to what was already a solid base. "Just about two notches better than perfect" was the most often heard assessment of the skiing. The Sun-Ri Ski Shop and Nils Torjesen's Ski School are in full swing and doing a brisk business and the directors of the corporation are anticipating a banner season for the area.

Community Calendar

ACTIVITIES

BASKETBALL PASSES: The Telstar Athletic Boosters will be selling passes for the 1995-96 basketball season. These passes, on sale until Dec 22, entitle holders to attend all the boys' and girls' home games beginning Dec. 11. Student passes are $10; adults, $20; family, $30 and are sold through the Booster Club. For information contact Sarah Craig at 824-2777. Tickets can be picked up and paid for at the door.

Friday, Dec. 1--Benefit Bingo for Christmas for Families at Locke Mills Legion Hall with food sale and raffle. Call Nina Wheeler at 836-3600 for details.

Saturday, Dec. 2--Benefit dance for Christmas for Kids at West Paris Grange Hall.

Tryouts for second-, third- and fourth-grade boys' SAD44 district travel basketball team, 9 to 10:30 a.m. at Crescent Park School.

"Breakfast with Santa" -- 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. (Santa arrives at 9 a.m.) at Crescent Park School sponsored by CPS PTA. Open to everyone free of charge.

West Bethel Union Church Greens-Sale in morning.

West Parish Congregational Church Christmas Fair and Tea, 1 to 4 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 3, 4 p.m.--annual Christmas Candlelight Service at Magalloway Church. Potluck supper following at Magalloway Town Hall. All welcome. Magalloway Plantation is on Route 16, 10 miles north of Errol, N.H.

Benefit supper and Christmas tree lighting at Community Hall, Hanover, 4:30 p.m. dinner (fish chowder, chop suey, biscuits, desserts) and tree lighting and special dedication at 6 p.m. Donations of $4 for adults and $1.50 for children under 12 requested.

Open House at Orthodox Church of the Holy Resurrection, Petrograd Street, Berlin, N.H., 1 to 4 p.m. A capella choir concerts at 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 4, 7 p.m.--The V.F.W. will meet at the Lions' Hall, Main Street, Bethel. The general public invited to attend to hear Dan Wilson, social services supervisor, Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Western Maine Management Club meeting at Shorelands Restaurant, Harrison. Social hour at 5:30 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Call 647-3331 for reservations prior to Dec. 1.

Thursday, Dec. 7--Woodstock-Greenwood Seniors Citizens meeting -- election of officers and Christmas party at Locke Mills Legion Hall, Gore Road, with dinner put on by Jackson-Silver Auxiliary.

Public Forum, 7 p.m., at Telstar High School Library for discussion of results of the Regional Partnership's 1995 Community Drug and Alcohol Survey of June 1995. Hosted by the staff and community volunteers of the Regional Partnership and the Western Regional Council on Alcoholism.

Northern Oxford County Council on Transition (NOCCOT) meeting from 3 to 5 p.m. at NOVA Adult Learning Center, Congress Street, Rumford. For information call Jennifer Stevens at 364-8764

Saturday, Dec. 9, 4 to 5 p.m.--Cookie Decorating Party at Newry Town Office. Tree lighting ceremony and Christmas carols will follow. Potluck supper immediately following at 5:30 p.m. Santa Claus will be there.

Sunday, Dec. 10, 2 to 4 p.m.--Idea and input session for Bethel's Future will be held in the basement of West Parish Congregational Church. Public invited to attend. Daycare and refreshments provided.

Benefit Dance for Terrie (Barlow) Merrill at Sunday River's White Cap Lodge, 5 to 10 p.m., music by "Leavin' City Limits" and others. Tickets ($5) available at the door, ChrisSports, Hanover Village Store, or contact Kelly Merrill at 364-2050 or Deb Barlow at 364-8715.

Tuesday, Dec. 12, noon--Rotary dinner and Christmas Party for Bethel area senior citizens at Mundt-Allen Post, Vernon Street, Bethel.

Exchanges

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Tuesday, 4-6 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. at the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center--Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Safer Families

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Bethel at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays, in Rumford on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and in South Paris at 9:30 p.m. on Tuesdays. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-520-4220. Safer Families also provides legal advocacy, for example, help with protection orders. For more information call 824-4222 or 1-800-520-4220 (24-hours a day).

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m. -1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Upton Public Library: First and third Thursday of each month, 6:30-8 p.m.

Reach

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Veterans' Services (State/VA Benefits)

Norway Armory (743-7852), first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 a.m.; Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. church service and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Monday, 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Albert B. Colpitts, Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist--Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, Pastor, 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School.

West Bethel Union--Rev. John Williams, 9:15 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopalian House Church--at Bohr's on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of each month (824-2913.) No house church in Nov.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Michael Cabana, Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Andover

First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service.

Calvary Congregational Church--Rev. Duane Waite, Sunday School 9:30 a.m., junior and morning worship 10:45.

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church--Rodney H. Hanscom, services will resume in the spring.

Albany

Congregational Church - Hunt's Corner, 11 a.m. Sunday summer worship, May 14 through September. Rev. Kenneth Carstens, Pastor.

Norway

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)-- Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444.

Monthly Meetings

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 665-2460.

Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

First Tuesday: Three Rivers Sportsmans Club, Hanover K of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social hour--6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting.

Telstar High School Project Graduation committee meeting, 6 to 8 p.m., room 106 at Telstar.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 6 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Gilead selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m. **Third Wednesday:** Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, West Parish Congregational Church, 7 to 9 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info. call 928-2611.

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Fire Station.

Free public volleyball at the Bethel Airport, 5:30 p.m. till dusk. Organized by Bethel Air Service.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Bethel Area Health Center, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM.

CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

The Bethel VFW Memorial Post 11363 meets at the Lions Hall on Main Street at 7 p.m.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

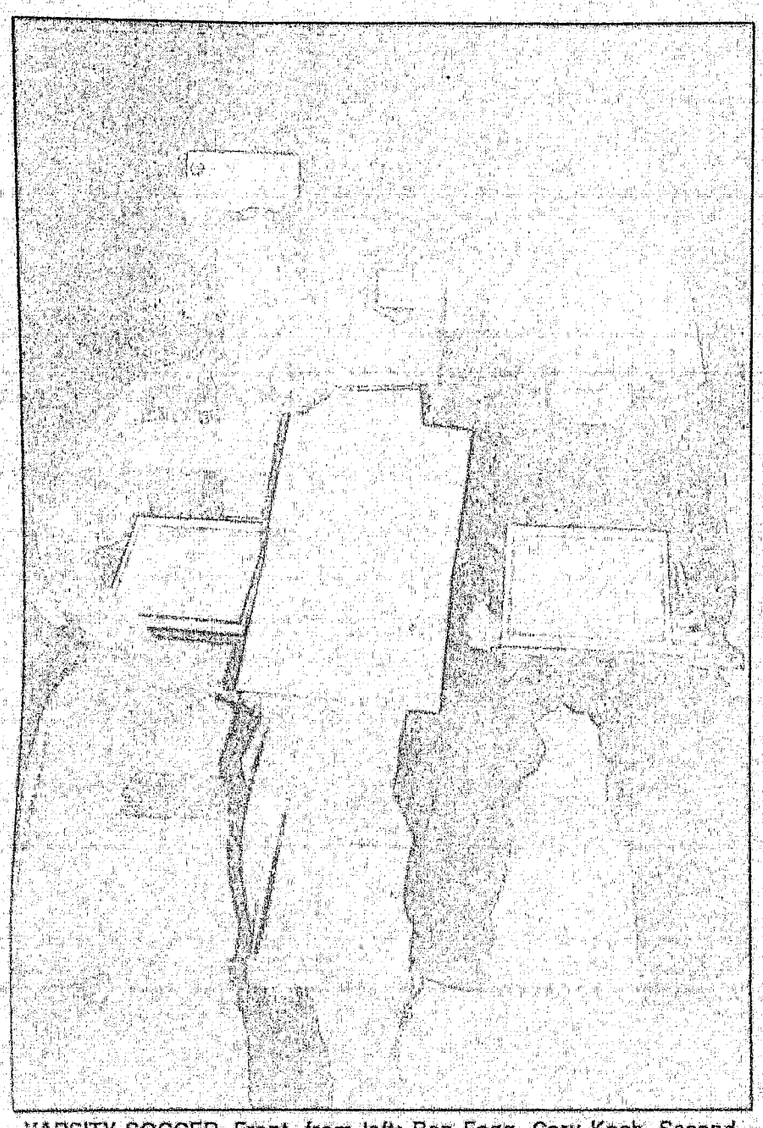
Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Last Friday: Upton Planning Board, 7 p.m., town office.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

Telstar High School 1995 Fall Sports Awards



VARSITY SOCCER--Front, from left: Ben Fogg, Cory Koch. Second row: Dan Wigley, Jason Berry. Back: Adam Newell, Keith Stevens.

VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY--Front, Jessie Wight, Katy Mullen, Sarah Richardson. Back: Liza Fyrberg, Beth Howe. Wight, Richardson and Howe were named to the 1995 Maine Field Hockey Association All State Team. Selection is based on skill and leadership demonstrated during the regular season.

CROSS COUNTRY--Jason Billings, Heidi Blake. *(Photo by Alison Alousio)*

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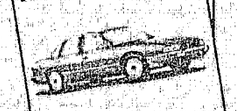

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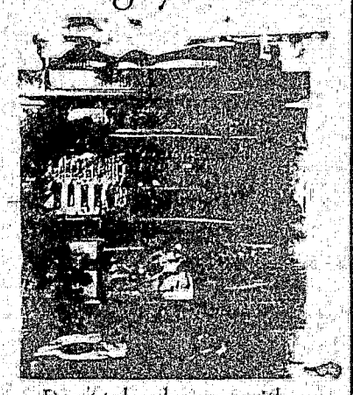

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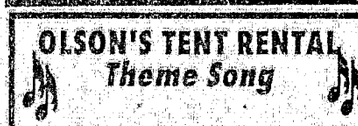

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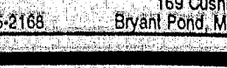

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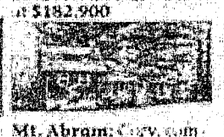

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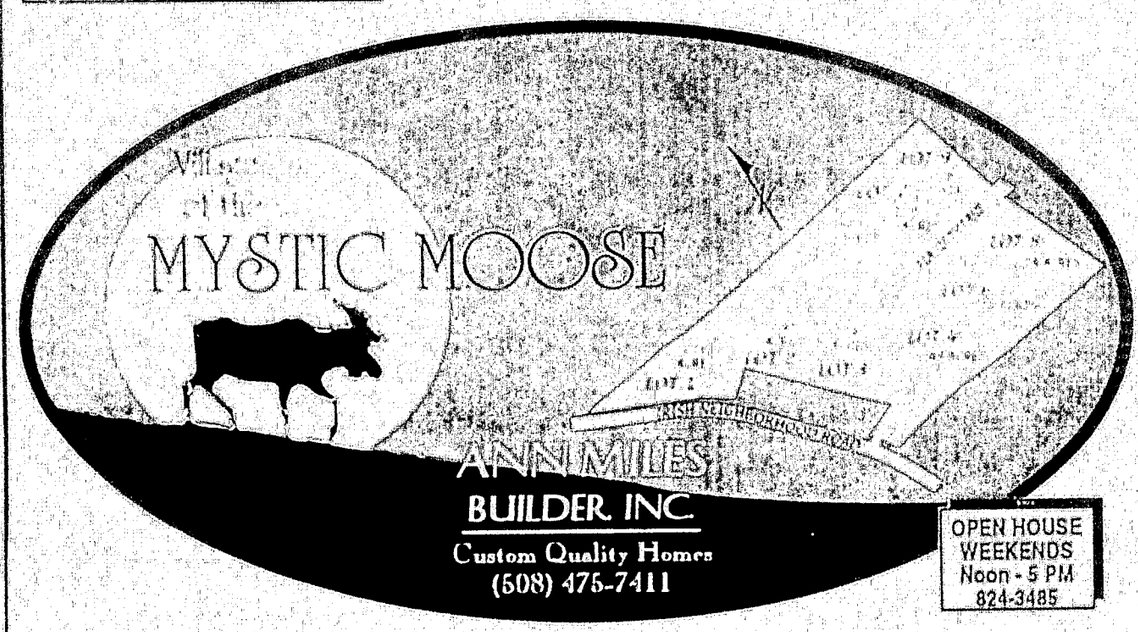

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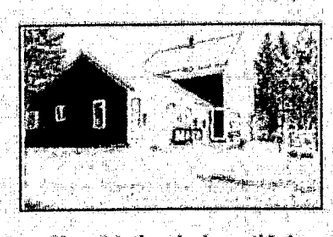

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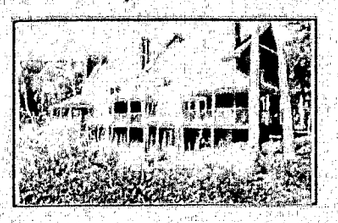

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WATERFRONT - SONGO POND
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HISTORIC DISTRICT
Lovely Greek Revival located on Broad Street in the Historic District. Beautiful woodwork, tin ceilings, fireplaced kitchen. 4 bedroom main house & apartment and office space. $275,000

CONDOMINIUMS

Bethel Opera House: 1 bdrm., On The Common in Bethel, affordably priced at $45,500 - Unit 22
Eden Ridge: 2 bdrm., 2 bath townhouse located near the village with mountain views. Fireplace and garage. Unfurnished. Unit 3B - $89,900 Unit 5E - $99,000
Bethel Inn Fairways Townhouses: 2 bdrm., 2 bath, fireplace. Also enjoy golf, the pool & rec center. Starting at $110,000
Mt. Abram: 2 bdrm., well maintained, views. Unit A-23 $69,000
Riverview: 2 bdrm., 1 bath. Primarily investment units. Units 2 & 3 - $47,500 each. Unit 214 - $55,000 Unit #105 - $58,000
Sunrise: New Listing! Bi-Level condominium located trailside at Sunday River. Sleeps up to 6 people. Common room with fireplace. Indoor pool, sauna and hot tub. Reasonably priced at $52,900!
Fall Line: New Listing! Bi-Level unit located trailside at Sunday River Ski Resort. Well maintained. Amenities include a restaurant and an indoor pool. West #209 - $55,000

UNIQUE CABIN W/STREAM FRONTAGE
Cozy 1 bedroom plus loft cabin located just outside the Village of Bethel on a very nice 1+/- acre lot with stream frontage. Very affordably priced at $39,500

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Attractive 2 bedroom ground level unit with an excellent rental history. Outside heated pool, convenient to Sunday River Ski Resort. Reasonably priced at $64,500

LAND

Mountain Views & Brook: 4.1+/- acres located off the Middle Intervale Rd, bordered by Otter Brook. Large plateau with lovely views, swimming hole & privacy. Protective covenants. Reasonably priced at $28,500
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Twitchell Pond: 3.4+/- acres of land with unbuildable frontage on Twitchell Pond. Soil tested. A wonderful opportunity at a great price! Reduced to $25,000!
New Listing: Enjoy the views of the Androscoggin River from this land parcel located on the Middle Intervale Road just minutes from Bethel Village. 1.9+/- acres for $10,500. 1.6+/- acres for $10,500 or entire parcel for $19,000
New Listing: 2+/- acre lot located on the south side of Andover off from Route 5. Gravity fed spring and septic in place. A perfect spot to build your home! $19,000

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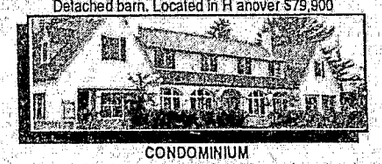
This charming 200 year old farmhouse is situated on 2 acres of land just north of the Sunday River access road. Five bedrooms and a spacious country kitchen. Restore the 4 grand fireplaces that make this home unique. Detached barn. Located in Hanover $79,900



CONDOMINIUM
Located in the center of Bethel Village this restored 1920's townhouse condominium offers the convenience of inlown living in a peaceful neighborhood setting. This uniquely designed end unit has many nice features including 2 bdrms. w/cathedral ceilings. Reasonably priced at $115,000

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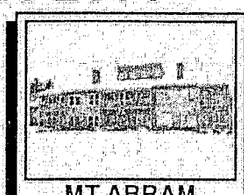

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$42,000

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#440 COTTAGE/ BUNGALOW
This adorable 2 bedroom bungalow is in excellent condition. Moments from Songo Pond and situated on .5 acres makes this home an excellent starter home or 4-season vacation get-a-way
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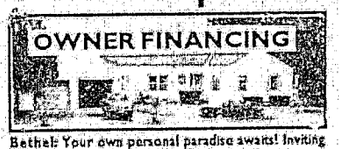

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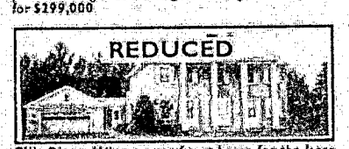
Bethel: Your own personal paradise awaits! Inviting customized home with new carpeting & spacious, freshly painted interior is flawlessly mingled with its well maintained exterior, attached garage and most desirable setting. ~~$220,000~~ $199,000

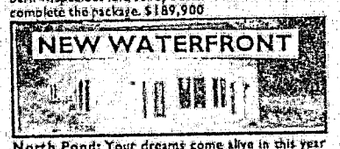
NEW LISTING
Lake Christopher: Fabulous farmhome will delight you with awe inspiring views of crystal clear Lake Christopher, newly ren. interior w/hrdwood/pine floors, new kitchen cabinetry & efficient windows. Lg. barn w/spacious loft, sandy beach & western exposure complete the package. $189,900



REDUCED
Ellis River: What a magnificent home for the large family or groups! Exquisite Georgian Colonial boasts private setting, unsurpassed quality, pristine & spacious interior, outstanding design & construction. Offered on beautifully abundant riverfront acreage w/additional acres available. Reduced to $189,900

NEW LISTING
Round Pond: Upon the pinnacle that joins beautiful Round & South Ponds awaits the striking year round home combining gorgeous views on a most uniquely formed scenic lot. Innovative floor plan boasts great room, massive, new stone frpke, 3 bdrms/2 baths & daylight bsmt to suit additional needs. $169,900

NEW LISTING
Andover: This grand Victorian 5 bdrm. farmhome situated on a most scenic 1+ lot with Ellis River & mountain views offers a beautifully maintained interior w/ huge country kitchen, spacious room, sunporch & extensive carriage house & barn. This magnificent offering must be viewed. $139,900



NEW WATERFRONT
North Pond: Your dreams come alive in this year round waterfront home. Enjoy breathtaking waterfront & mtn. views, sandy beach & impeccable design with a Linda-Cedar home upper level(s) in mind. Enjoy as is w th its 2bd/2bth & spacious great room and/or in/law apt mnt & expand in future years. $123,000

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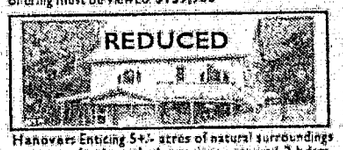
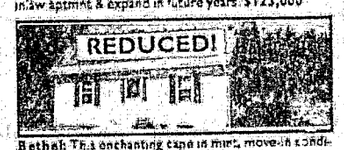
Greenwood: An unsurpassed view of exciting Mt. Abram Ski Area awaits from this beautifully customized 3 bdrm/2.5 bath home. Cathedralized living area w/fireplace, spacious, sun filled kitchen, deck & jacuzzi tub are but a few of the incredible details offered in this dazzling home. $103,000

Bethel: Enjoy "apres ski" in your hot tub while viewing the Western White Mountains of Maine & watching Sunday River Snow Cats climb the terrain. Absolutely adorable, newer const. contemporized chalet upon 2.84+/- acres. Energy efficient, cozy sunny interior, new flooring & stairing deck. $102,500

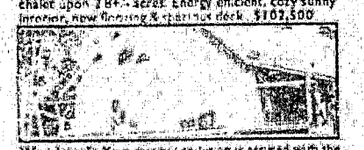


REDUCED
Hanover: Enticing 5+/- acres of natural surroundings merge perfectly with this well maintained 3 bdrm. home with beautifully designed interior & convenient entry level garage. Proximity to Sunday River, cross country trails & beautiful inground pool at your back door ensure four season fun. Reduced to $98,000



REDUCED!
Bethel: This enchanting cape in mint, move-in condition boasts a secluded 3.34+/- acre setting only moments from area recreations & village. Impeccably maintained, spacious interior & lovely grounds with new septic system make this the perfect primary or vacation home. $96,900

NEW LISTING
Roxbury Pond: Just moments from scenic Roxbury Pond lies this striking contemporary boasting lovely eat-in kitchen, large family room, relaxing sunporch and detached garage. Quiet neighborhood setting. Walk to pond access & peaceful surroundings will ensure years of enjoyment. Offered at $89,900



Woodstock: Your tranquil seclusion is assured with the purchase of this picturesque, newer constructed home located on 42+/- private acres. Spectacular mtn. views are enjoyed from its expansive decks & roomy unfinished fully insulated and wired interior which awaits your personal and customized touch. $77,500

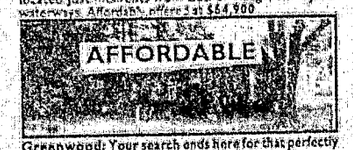
CONVENIENT
Hanover: If you're just starting out, this is a great opportunity for the first time buyer or vacation home purchaser. Vintage gambrel style 3 bedroom home boasts 2+/- acres with ample frontage on Route 2. Make your move before this one slips away! $65,000

Bethel: Vernon Street. Look no further for that perfect vacation or primary home! Situated on 1+/- acre, this charming 4 bdrm. home presents a lovely, efficient interior, spacious rooms, full basement & 2 decks. Ideally located just moments from Bethel Village, skiways & waterways. Affordably offered at $64,900

SCENIC SETTING
Woodstock: Lovely and affordable this 3 bdrm. home in a quiet neighborhood setting offer efficient living area, hardwood floors and adorable architectural details. A perfect home for the growing family or vacation retreat. $59,000

Knoll Road: Nestled amid towering pines, this delightfully cozy home presents a truly enchanting waterfront setting. Large eat-in kitchen, sunporch numerous upper level expansion possibilities, attached garage & quiet neighborhood setting. The perfect primary or vacation home retreat. $49,900

Bird Hill: Most affordably priced, this wonderful 3 bdrm. Greek revival home in a peaceful neighborhood setting boasts spacious interior, large attached garage & screened-in porch. Make your offer today as this offering won't last long at this unbelievable price! Only $42,500



AFFORDABLE
Greenwood: Your search ends here for that perfectly delightful & easy to maintain vacation/starter home. Boasting an adorable, fully furnished interior, separate guest house and year round access all upon a fabulous 2.5+/- acres. $39,000

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Pristine 2+/- acre lots in this coveted, subdivision moments away from town. From $26,500
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II-B-304	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$64,900
II-A-113	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$60,900
II-B-308	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$64,500
II-B-310	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$65,900
II-B-306	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$66,900
II-A102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$67,900
I-B-304	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$75,000
IB-308	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$89,900
CASCADES		
B-21	Studio/1 Bath	$45,900
B-10	Studio/1 Bath	$46,900
C-22	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$62,500
FALL LINE		
E-110	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
W-215	1 Bdrm/1Bath	Under Contract
N-212	1Bdrm/1 Bath	$54,900
W-101	1Bdrm/1 Bath	$56,000
N116	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$56,900
E-204	1 Bdrm/1Bath	$58,000
S-207	1 Bdrm/ 1 Bath	$54,900
S-102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$60,000
W-106	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$61,900
N-102	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	Under Contract
SOUTHRIDGE		
A-3	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	$99,500
C-6	3 Bdrm/2Bath	Under Contract
J-5	3 Bdrm/2Bath	$148,000
D-1	3 Bdrm/2Bath	SOLD
SUNRISE		
A-103	1 Bdrm/1Bath	$59,900
A-121	1 Bdrm/1Bath	$54,900
A-126	1 Bdrm/1Bath	$61,900

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III-305	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$82,500
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A-103	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
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#522	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$129,900
BARKER BROOK		
#12	2 Bdrm/2Bath	$139,500
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#7	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$82,500
#8	2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath	$102,500
EDEN RIDGE		
#3-F	2Bdrm/2Bath	Under Contract
#1-D	3 Bdrm/2Bath	$129,900
#5-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$102,000
#2-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	$114,500
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A-11	1 Bdrm/1Bath	$57,000
A-26	2 Bdrm/1.5 Baths	$79,900
C-22	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	$74,500
C-23	2Bdrm/1.75 Bath	$78,900
POWDER RIDGE		
#31	3 Bdrm/2.5 Bath	$150,000
#32	3 Bdrm/2.5Bath	$150,000
#43	SOLD	$164,000
#1 Duplex	3 Bdrm/3Bath	$225,000
#39	3 Bdrm/2.5Bath	$175,000
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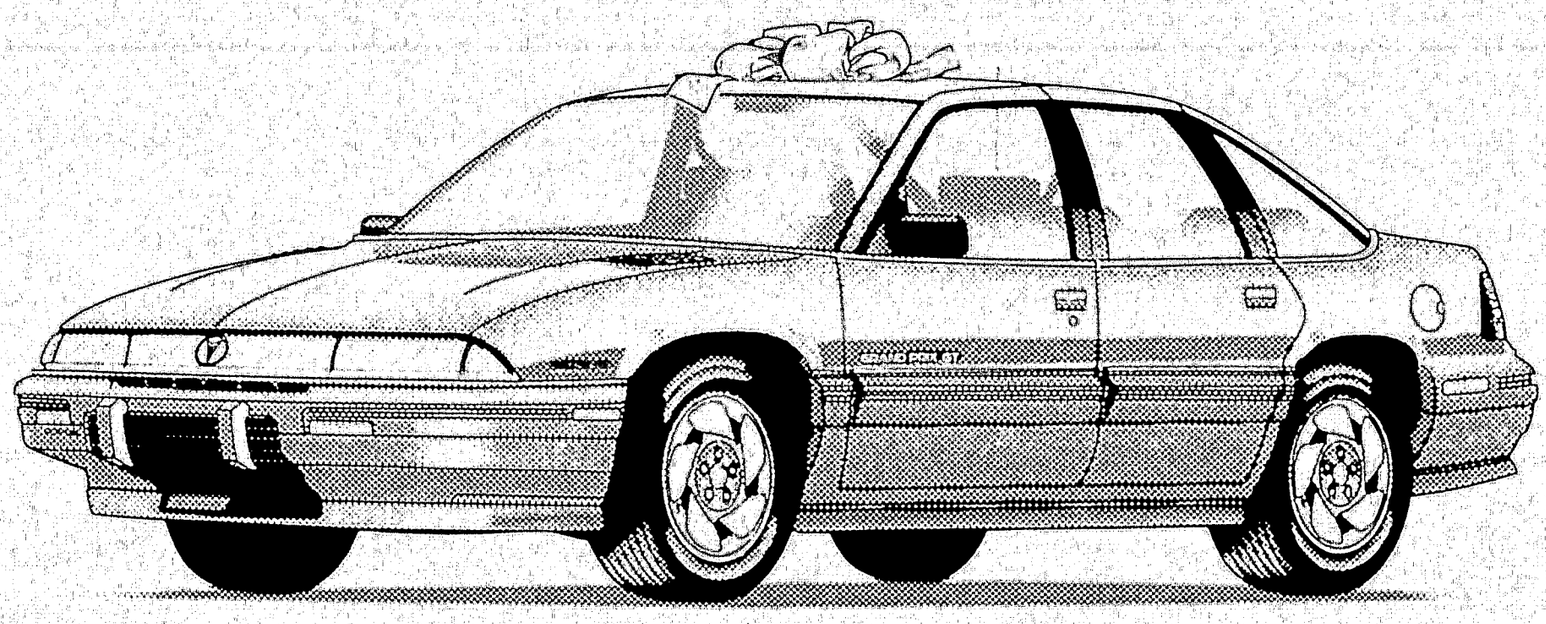

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Wanted

WANTED TO BUY: Scrap metal. Home evenings and weekends. Raymond Chapman, 836-2585. 39tf

ANTIQUES, collectibles, furniture, glass, paintings, clocks, etc. One item or housefull. Free appraisals. Call Mike at Rumford Center Antiques, Inn & Auction Services: 1(207)364-8607 13tf

WANTED: ITEMS from your attic, 1940's or earlier, especially small furniture, children's toys. Ex. terms. Call Sally. Playhouse Antiques. 207-824-3170. 15tf

WE ARE LOOKING FOR OAK and Strip Maple limbs. Lengths between 6 to 9 feet. Dia. between 3 to 6 inches. We pay $100 for oak limbs and $80 for Strip Maple per cord. Call Shiitake Farm for details. 364-8576 or 369-0445. 48-50p

WANTED someone to share my home preferably female. Own room, kitchen use. Must be self sufficient. Ref. required. Call 392-3621. 48f

ONE OR 2 CHILDREN, newborn to school age to babysit in my home weekdays. If interested call Rhonda Mitchell days or eveings. 836-2707, leave message if not home. 48-49p

Miscellaneous

GED (High School Equivalency) TESTING AND PREPARATION. Day and evening times. No charge. Call SAD #44 Adult Ed. 824-2780 for an appointment. 34tf

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS, Bethel Area Health Center, Saturday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. For information call 824-6683 or 824-2945. 37tf

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly). Wed. 5:45-7 pm, Bethel Fire Station. 11tf

S.H.A.R.E., a support group for parents who have suffered an infant loss, stillborn birth or miscarriage. Stephens Memorial Hospital, first Thursday of each month, 7 pm. For information, call 824-2913. 24tf

Bethel Freedom Group AA, which meets at Bethel Fire Station. Sunday 6-7:30, CBB; Tuesday 7-8:00 OD; O-Literature; Friday 7:30-9C 12x12. 23tf

AL-ANON, Wednesday, 8 pm Telstar Regional High 28tf

AA MEETS Wednesday, 8 pm, at Telstar Regional High School. 2tf

Help Wanted

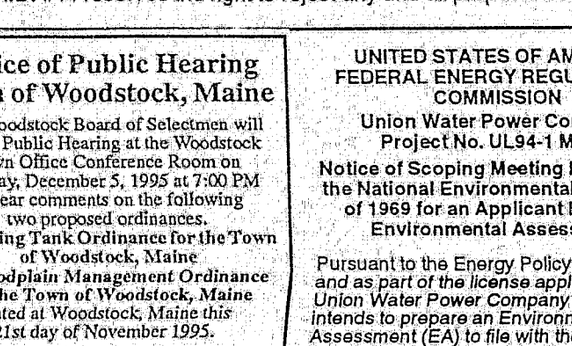
PIZZA & SANDWICH Cooks wanted. Experienced cooks wanted to work high volume line. Seasonal work: Dec. - April. Apply at The Sudbury Inn, Main Street, Bethel. 47-48p

WAITRESS, BREAKFAST COOK, DISHWASHER and prep helpers. Flexible schedules available for prep work. Stop by or call RheaLu's, Rt. 2, Bethel. 824-2249.7 am - 11 am or 4 pm - 9 pm. 47-48

CRUISE SHIPS HIRING Earn up to $2,000+/month working on cruise ships or land-tour companies. No experience necessary. For information call 1-206-634-0468 ext. C89686. 48ne

SALES CLERK. Part time. Please leave resume at the Toy Shop. 824-8697. 48-49

SUPER GREAT 13 month old needs AM babysitter a few days a week. References required. Call 875-3057. 48-49



HELP WANTED

Health Aide to live in on 3 days one week, 4 days the next week, Intown Bethel. Nice home and surroundings. References required. **Call 824-2446**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for persons interested in serving on the Bethel Airport Authority Committee. Appointment forms are available at the Town Office. There is a deadline of December 4, 1995 at noon to submit interest in serving on the Authority.

M.S.A.D. #44
PROPOSALS REQUESTED CONSTRUCTION OF NEW ACCESSIBLE UNISEX RESTROOM

M.S.A.D. #44 is accepting proposals for the modification and renovation of an existing storage room at Telstar Middle/High School in Bethel. The changes will result in a new accessible unisex restroom. Architectural drawings and specifications are available by contacting Mr. Burnham Rice, MSAD #44 Building & Grounds Supervisor, 284 Walkers Mills Road, Bethel, phone 207-824-4094. The work must be completed between December 21 and 31, 1995. Deadline for proposals is December 1, 1995.

M.S.A.D. #44 reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. E.O.E.

Notice of Public Hearing
Town of Woodstock, Maine

The Woodstock Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing at the Woodstock Town Office Conference Room on Tuesday, December 5, 1995 at 7:00 PM to hear comments on the following two proposed ordinances.

1. Holding Tank Ordinance for the Town of Woodstock, Maine

2. Floodplain Management Ordinance for the Town of Woodstock, Maine

Dated at Woodstock, Maine this 21st day of November 1995.

Woodstock Board of Selectmen

PUBLIC NOTICE

Please take notice that Sunday River Skiway Corporation of PO Box 450, Bethel, Maine 04217 is filing for a Site Location of Development permit with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to the provisions of 38 M.R.S.A., Sections 481 to 489 to develop a 300 room hotel in the Jordan Bowl area of Sunday River Skiway. Some additional roads and parking will be necessary to gain access to the building.

The application will be filed for public inspection at one of the department's Regional Offices (So. Portland, Augusta or Bangor) and at the municipal offices in the Town of Newry on Monday, November 27, 1995.

Written comments from interested persons may be sent to the Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Land Quality Control, State House Station #17, Augusta, Maine 04333.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
Union Water Power Company
Project No. UL94-1 Maine
Notice of Scoping Meeting Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 for an Applicant Prepared Environmental Assessment

Pursuant to the Energy Policy Act of 1992, *and as part of the license application, the Union Water Power Company (Union) intends to prepare an Environmental Assessment (EA) to file with the Federal Regulatory Commission for the Upper and Middle Dam Storage Project. Two public scoping meetings will be held, pursuant to the National Environmental Policy act of 1969, to identify the scope of environmental issues that should be analyzed in the EA. At the scoping meetings, Union will summarize the environmental issues tentatively identified for analysis in the EA; (2) solicit from the meeting participants all available information, especially qualified data, on the resources at issue; and (3) encourage statements from experts and the public on issues that should be analyzed in the EA.*

Although Union's intent is to prepare an EA, there is the possibility that an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) will be required. Nevertheless, this meeting will satisfy the NEPA scoping requirements, irrespective of whether an EA or EIS is issued by the Commission.

All interested individuals, organizations, and agencies are invited and encouraged to attend and assist in identifying and clarifying the scope of environmental issues that should be analyzed in the EA.

To help focus the discussions, a scoping document was sent out on November 7, 1995, as part of the Initial Stage Consultation Document (ISCD). Copies of the Scoping Document and ISCD will also be available at the meetings.

Union will conduct a scoping meeting on Wednesday, December 13, 1995, at 6:30 p.m. at the Rangley Inn, Main Street, in Rangley, Maine. A scoping meeting for federal, state and local resource agencies and non-governmental organizations will be held at the Ramada Inn, 490 Pleasant Street, Lewiston, Maine at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 14, 1995. Scoping meetings are open to all interested parties.

MEETING PROCEDURES

The meeting will be conducted according to the procedures used at Commission scoping meetings. The Commission will not conduct another NEPA scoping meeting when the application and EA are filed with the Commission in early 1999. Instead, Commission staff will attend the meetings held on December 13 and 14, 1995.

The meetings will be recorded by a stenographer and, thereby, will become a part of the formal record of the proceedings on the Upper and Middle Dam Project. Individuals presenting statements at the meetings will be asked to identify themselves for the record.

Concerned parties are encouraged to offer verbal guidance during public meetings. Speaking time allowed for individuals will be determined before each meeting, based on the number of persons wishing to speak and the approximate amount of time available for the session, but all speakers will be provided at least five minutes to present their views.

Persons choosing not to speak but wishing to express an opinion, as well as speakers unable to summarize their positions within the allotted time, may submit written statements for inclusion in the public record.

Written scoping comments may also be mailed to Union Water Power Company, 150 Main Street, PO Box 1225, Lewiston, Maine 04243-1225. All correspondence should clearly show the following caption on the first page: Scoping Comments, Upper and Middle Dam Project, FERC No. UL 94-1, Maine.

For further information, please contact Laurence E. Perkins at (207) 784-4501 (Union Water Power Company) or Mark Pawlowski at (202) 219-2795.

Lois D. Cashell
Secretary

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1993 SUBARU LOYALE 4X4 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, p. mirrors, tilt, am/fm cloth int., cellular phone, green
$177.70 mo
Sale price $8900. Payments: $900 down

1991 ISUZU TROOPER 4X4 4 DR
6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., red
$234.44 mo
Sale price $9950. Payments: $1200 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1991 FORD EXPLORER 4X4 4 DR
6 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, alum. wheels, cloth int., XLT, black
$275.63 mo
Sale price $11500. Payments: $1200 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1991 CHEVY 1500 EX-CAB 4X4
6 cyl., 5 speed, am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., two tone, bedliner, Scottsdale, 7 1/2 Fisher Plow, blue gray
$347.40 mo
Sale price $14,500. Payments: $1500 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1991 FORD FULL SIZE BRONCO 4X4
8 cyl., auto, air cond., tilt., cruise, am/fm, green
$254.37 mo
Sale price $10,500. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1990 FORD F150 4X4
6 cyl., 5 spd., tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, styled wheels, cloth int., bedliner, rear sliding window, blue
$211.91 mo
Sale price $7950. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1990 DODGE DAKOTA W/PLOW 4X4
6 cyl., auto., am/fm, bedliner, rear sliding window, only 59,000 miles, gray
$238.69 mo
Sale price $8,950. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 13% APR for42 mos.

1990 PONTIAC 6000 SE All Wheel Drive
6 cyl., auto, air cond., p. windows, p. locks, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., alum. wheels, cloth int., blue
$170.83 mo
Sale price $5800. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.

1990 SUBARU LEGACY 4X4, 4 DR.
4 cyl., 5 spd., air cond., tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., cloth int., lt blue
$165.03 mo
Sale price $6375. Payments: $ 900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for42 mos.

1990 FORD F250 HD 4X4
8 cyl., 5 spd., tilt, cruise, rear sliding window, XL trim
$182.23 mo
Sale price $6200. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1990 FORD BRONCO II 4X4
6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., black
$201.16 mo
Sale price $6650. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.

1990 FORD F150 4X4 PICK-UP
6 cyl., auto., am/fm, rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., bedliner, only 61,000 miles, red
$239.44 mo
Sale price $8,975. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1990 FORD BRONCO II 4X4
6 cyl., auto., am/fm, rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., gray
$207.05 mo
Sale price $6975. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.

1989 CHEVY 1500 4X4 PKUP
8 cyl., auto., am/fm, rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., two tone, bedliner, rear sliding window, only 69,000 miles, blue/silver
$272.16 mo
Sale price $8950. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1988 CHEVY S-10 EX-CAB 4X4 W/PLOW
6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, sun roof, styled wheels, 4 pass., 7 ft. Fisher plow, only 89,000 miles, brown
$197.55 mo
Sale price $6950. Payments: $1200 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1988 JEEP CHEROKEE 4X4 4 DR
6 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., bedliner, rear glass, white
$198.56 mo
Sale price $6500. Payments: $1500 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1988 CHEVY S10 4X4 PICK-UP
6 cyl., auto., am/fm/cass, cloth int., bedliner, rear sliding window, dk. blue
$147.28 mo
Sale price $4500. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1987 FORD RANGER EX-CAB 4X4
6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., rear jump seat, silver
$155.97 mo
Sale price $3950. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for 24 mos.

1987 MAZDA B2600 4X4 PKUP
4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, chrome wheels, cloth int., rear sliding window, bedliner, blue
$154.30 mo
Sale price $4675. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for 30 mos.

1986 CHEVY S-10 BLAZER 4X4
6 cyl., auto., tilt am/fm, styled wheels, only 65,000 miles, gray
$176.47 mo
Sale price $5600. Payments: $1200 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 30 mos.

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1993 DODGE SHADOW ES 2 DR
4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., sun roof, driver's air bag, alum. wheels, cloth int., only 42,000 miles, red
$173.67 mo
Sale price $7525. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1993 CHEVY 1500 PKUP
6 cyl., auto., am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., rear sliding widow, nice truck! black
$224.36 mo
Sale price $9650. Payments: $1200 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1987 ISUZU TROOPER II 4X4, 2 Dr., Maroon $2995
1983 GMC 3/4 T, 4X4, Dump Body w/Plow $5500
1979 FORD F250 4X4, w/Fisher 8ft. plow $2995

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1993 PONTIAC LEMANS SE 2 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm/cass., styled wheels, cloth int., only 39,000 miles, white
$153.26mo
Sale price $5750. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 48 mos.

1991 DODGE CARAVAN CARGO VAN
4 cyl., auto., am/fm, styled wheels, partial, white
$131.14 mo
Sale price $4750. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 36 mos.

1991 CHEVY CAVALIER WGN
4 cyl., auto., tilt, am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., lt. blue
$105.36 mo
Sale price $4300. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 42 mos.

1991 GEO METRO 4 DR
3 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm, cloth int., red
$107.99 mo
Sale price $7200. Payments: $600 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 30 mos.

1991 DODGE CARAVAN
6 cyl., auto., air cond., p. mirrors, am/fm/cass., drivers air bag, cloth int., 7 pass., maroon
$167.72 mo
Sale price $6850. Payments: $1300 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 42 mos.

1991 GEO PRIZM 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., cruise, cloth int., white
$152.61 mo
Sale price $5400. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1991 PLYMOUTH SUNDANCE 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, am/fm, driver's air bag, cloth int., only 57,000 miles, white
$132.10 mo
Sale price $5200. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1991 PONTIAC GRAND AM LE 2 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., p. locks, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., alum. wheels, cloth int., Nice!! Red
$146.72 mo
Sale price $6450. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 12.5% APR for 48 mos.

1990 PONTIAC LEMANS LE 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, cloth int., only 61,000 miles, gold
$115.64 mo
Sale price $4400. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 36 mos.

1990 HYUNDAI EXCEL 2 DR
4 cyl., 4 spd., am/fm/cass., only 82,000 miles, red
$91.28 mo
Sale price $3650. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 24 mos.

1990 VW JETTA GL 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, only 71,000 miles, gray
$156.10 mo
Sale price $6475. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1990 DODGE DAYTONA 2 DR
4 cyl., auto., am/fm/cass., sunroof, driver's air bag, only 53,000 miles, blue
$133.03 mo
Sale price $5200. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1990 DODGE CARAVAN
6 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., styled wheels, 7 passenger, brown
$187.24 mo
Sale price $8425. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1990 CHEVY LUMINA APV VAN
6 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm, cloth int., 7 pass., only 70,000 miles, blue
$211.91 mo
Sale price $7950. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 42 mos.

1990 FORD ESCORT LX 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., p. mirrors, am/fm/cass., cloth int., two tone, gold/gray
$98.84 mo
Sale price $3950. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1990 DODGE COLT VISTA VAN
4 cyl., auto., am/fm/cass., cloth int., two tone, only 78,000 miles, gray
$130.06 mo
Sale price $5200. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1990 OLDSMOBILE CIERA 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, tilt, am/fm, cloth int., wire wheel covers, white
$151.64 mo
Sale price $5925. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13% APR for 42 mos.

1989 DODGE SPIRIT 4 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm, cloth int., only 69,000 miles, lt. blue
$126.24 mo
Sale price $4550. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1989 GMC 1500 PKUP
6 cyl., auto., tilt, am/fm, rear anti-lock brakes, cloth int., two tone, bedliner, SLX, blue
$172.05 mo
Sale price $7950. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1989 TOYOTA TERCEL 2 DR
4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., cloth int., only 78,000 miles, white
$115.22 mo
Sale price $4950. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1989 DODGE COLT 2 DR
4 cyl., 4 spd., air cond., tilt, am/fm/cass., only 74,000 miles, lt. blue
$101.29 mo
Sale price $2650. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 24 mos.

1989 DODGE CARAVAN
6 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., 7 pass., two tone, brown
$121.14 mo
Sale price $3800. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1989 OLDS DELTA 88 2 DR
6 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., cloth int., 1/2 vinyl roof, nice!!!, blue
$173.75 mo
Sale price $5950. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1989 FORD RANGER PKUP
6 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm/cass., rear anti-lock brakes, styled wheels, cloth int., two tone, bedliner, sliding window, XLT, blue/silver
$125.09 mo
Sale price $4450. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1988 CHEVY 1500 PICK-UP
6 cyl., auto., am/fm/cass., cloth int., two tone, bedliner, only 74,000 miles, silver blue
$192.41 mo
Sale price $6850. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 36 mos.

1988 CHEVY CAVALIER RS
2 dr., 4 cyl., auto., air cond., tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., sun roof, styled wheels, cloth int., red
$123.59 mo
Sale price $3900. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1988 CHEVY CORSICA 4 DR.
6 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., aluminum wheels, cloth int., CL. silver
$113.25 mo
Sale price $3800. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1988 CHEVY CAVALIER 2 DR
4 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm, styled wheels, cloth int., only 64,000 miles, blue
$109.30 mo
Sale price $3400. Payments: $700 down cash or trade at 13.5% APR for 30 mos.

1987 GMC 2500 PKUP
8 cyl., 454 big block, auto, cruise, am/fm, cloth int., running boards, perfect to tow!! nice!!! black
$201.45 mo
Sale price $5450. Payments: $1000 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for 30 mos.

1987 MITSUBISHI PICKUP
4 cyl., 5 spd., am/fm, cloth int., long bed, red
$119.69 mo
Sale price $2750. Payments: $600 down cash or trade At 14.9% APR for 18 mos.

1987 FORD TEMPO 4 DR.
4 cyl., auto, air cond., tilt., am/fm, cloth int., only 55,000 miles, blue
$95.43 mo
Sale price $2800. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for 24 mos.

1987 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER SE
4 cyl., auto., air cond., am/fm/cass., cloth int., 7 passenger, silver
$138.39 mo
Sale price $2950. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for18 mos.

1987 BUICK REGAL LTD 2 DR
8 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, p. seat, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., cloth int., T-tops, white
$150.86 mo
Sale price $3250. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for 18 mos.

1987 BUICK CENTURY LTD 4 DR
6 cyl., auto., air cond., p. windows, p. locks, p. mirrors, p. seat, tilt, cruise, am/fm/cass., cloth int., only 59,000 miles, nice! white
$141.12 mo
Sale price $3800. Payments: $900 down cash or trade at 14.25% APR for 24 mos.

1986 DODGE RAM 50
4 cyl., auto., am/fm, chrome wheels, cloth int., only 83,000 miles, black
$116.57 mo
Sale price $2600. Payments: $800 down cash or trade at 14.9% APR for 18 mos.

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1988 Ford Tempo, 4 Dr., 5 Spd., Blue	$895
1987 Dodge D150 P/U, Black	$2495
1987 Chevy Spectrum, Blue	$1495
1987 Subaru Justy, 2 Dr., White	$995
1987 Isuzu I-Mark, 2 Dr, Blue	$1495
1986 Plymouth Reliant, 4 Dr. White	$495
1986 Dodge D150 P/U, Gold	$2195
1986 Ford Escort Wgn, Silver	$995
1986 Olds Cutlass Wgn., V6, Blue	$1295
1986 Ford Aerostar, 7 Pass., Auto	$2995
1986 Chevy Nova, 4 Dr., White	$2495
1985 Ford Thunderbird, 2 Dr., Blue	$1495
1985 Dodge Omni, Only 77,000 Miles, Blue	$995
1985 Plymouth Reliant, Only 61,000 Miles	$2495
1985 Toyota Corolla, 4 Dr., Gold	$1095
1985 1/2 Ford Escort, 2 Dr., Maroon	$995
1985 Renault Alliance, 2 Dr., Tan	$895

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1990 Ford Festiva 2 dr, 4 cyl, 5 spd, am-fm.....$2,395
1989 Toyota Corolla 4 cyl, standard, 4 dr, am/fm, 94K miles.....$3,895
1989 Pontiac Grand Prix V6, auto, loaded 81k miles.....$5,995
1989 Ford Bronco II 2 dr, 4x4, V6, 5 sp, XLT pkg, 69k miles.....$7,495
1988 Chevy Caprice Classic, V8, auto, air 56k mi.....$5,395
1988 Ford F150 2x4 Pickup 50K miles.....$6,995
1987 Plymouth Reliant air, am-fm, 4 dr, sedan, 4 cyl, auto, 86K miles.....$2,495
1987 Plymouth Caravelle 4 dr, sedan, am-fm, 4 cyl, auto, 75K mi.....$2,695
1985 Dodge Aries 4 dr, sedan, 4 cyl, 4 spd, 46K miles, one owner.....$1,995

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Obituaries

RUTH S. COSTA

Ruth S. Costa, 84, of Bellmawr, N.J. died Monday, Nov. 20, 1995 at the Health Care Center at Washington Township.

Mrs. Costa (nee Stokes) was born in Bucks County, Penn. She moved to Haddon Heights in 1942 and to Bellmawr in 1964.

She worked as a private-duty nurse for the former Camden Municipal Hospital during the 1950s. She then worked as a nurse for ITE in Philadelphia and retired in 1976.

She was a graduate of Cooper Hospital School of Nursing, Camden, and was a member of the school's alumni association.

Mrs. Costa was a frequent visitor to Andover and participated in the activities of the First Congregational Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Catherine R. Fanelli of Bellmawr, with whom she lived, and Jane E. Rich of Andover; two granddaughters; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastor Jane Rich of the First Congregational Church, Andover on Nov. 24 at the John A. Healey Funeral Home, Haddon Heights, N.J.

Memorial donations may be made to the Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases Research, c/o Dr. John Q. Trojanowski, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, 3400 Spruce St., Maloney Basement, AOO9, Philadelphia, Penn. 19104-4283.

VIRGIL C. CURTIS

Virgil C. Curtis, 67, of Miami, Ariz., died Monday, Nov. 13, 1995, at his home following a long illness. He had lived in Warrensburg, N.Y., before retiring to Arizona.

Born on May 21, 1928, in Bethel, he was the son of Alfred and Florence Curtis.

Mr. Curtis attended Gould Academy. He was a member of the Moose and Elk lodges and held a private pilot's license.

Survivors include three sons: Larry of Havelock, N.C., Linwood of South Glens Falls, N.Y., and Garald of Niaranja, Fla.; one daughter, Mrs. Timothy (Doris) Coon of Bolton Landing, N.Y.; and several grandchildren.

Services were conducted in Miami, Ariz. The family suggests memorial donations be made to the American Cancer Foundation.

MILDRED C. THOMAS

Mildred C. Thomas, 85, died Nov. 22, 1995 at Stephens Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Born Nov. 2, 1910 in Brooklyn, N.Y., daughter of Arthur Stockman and Lillian Applegate Bailey, she grew up on Long Island and attended schools there. Following high school, she graduated from Katherine Gibbs Secretarial College.

Beginning work as a secretary in Manhattan, she later moved to Norfolk, Va. after her marriage to James H. Thomas, a career Navy officer. She lived there all her married life except for two years in Newfoundland. For 20 years, she was the executive secretary to the Admiral at the Naval Safety Center in Norfolk.

Retiring in 1977, she became a Red Cross volunteer. Following her husband's death in 1982, she moved to Maine and resided on Paradise Road in Bethel, beginning in 1983.

A member of the West Parish Congregational Church, American Legion Auxiliary, the Cynthia Mason Round Robin Bridge Club, and the Norfolk, Va. Forest Reserve Auxiliary, she was also active as a guide and volunteer at the Bethel Historical Society.

Survivors include several nephews.

There will be no funeral and her ashes are to be buried beside her husband in the Woodlawn Memorial Cemetery in Norfolk, Va.

A memorial service will be held in the meeting room of the Bethel Historical Society's Dr. Moses Mason House in the spring of 1996.

Births

Jake Tyler and Lorena Conant of Bethel are pleased to announce the birth of a baby boy, Lance Alan Tyler, on Nov. 6, 1995, at Maine Medical Center, weighing 4 pounds, 5 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Roger and Lillian Conant of Bethel.

Maternal great-grandmother is Roxie Rowe of South Paris.

Paternal grandparents are Bertha Tyler of Albany and Gerald Tyler of Milan, N.H.

Paternal great-grandmothers are Marion Kimball of Albany and Stella Tyler of Dover, N.H.

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Nancy and David Stearns of Locke Mills are pleased to announce the arrival of a son, Justin Chadbourne Stearns, born Nov. 12, 1995, at Central Maine Medical Center, Lewiston.

Maternal grandparents are Robert and Nancy Chadbourne of Bethel.

Paternal grandparents are Warren and Marcia Stearns of Hanover.

Maternal great-grandmother is Irene Russell of Bethel.

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THOUGHTS FROM THE

Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words comfort and hope for your daily life.

"Now when evening came David arose from his bed and walked around ... saw a woman bathing; and the woman was very beautiful" (2 Samuel 11:2)

It all began so innocently. David arose from his bed (was this a subtle hint of what was to come?). He walks around the roof of his house, surveying the city that he has conquered and which now bears his name. It is evening as he savors his rise to power and contemplates his kingdom; a time when shadows fall and passions rise.

Then the look: not merely a glance that turns away, but one that lingers -- followed by a discrete inquiry. And he learns that the beautiful woman is the wife of one of his commanders -- one of his "mighty men," and this makes her even more desirable in his eyes (2 Sam 23:39).

After all this build-up, all the heightening of passion and tension, the act itself is something of a let-down: "David took her, lay with her ... she returned to her house" (2 Sam 11:4). No harm, no foul. No one has been hurt. Just two consenting adults. Just another example of the perks of power.

Until ... she sends word that she is pregnant. No problem. David sends for her husband, Uriah, who has been fighting the king's wars while the king has been busy dallying with Uriah's wife. David grants him an unexpected leave and suggests that he go to his house to "wash his feet" -- a euphemism for sleep with his wife. The child will belong to Uriah. All's well that ends well.

But it doesn't end there. Uriah refuses to indulge himself while his troops are fighting. The king gets him drunk, but that doesn't work. David "arranges" Uriah's untimely death in battle, but the matter does not end there, either. The child of adultery dies, but the story does not. After three thousand years, it is still very much alive.

"The wages of sin is death" in more ways than we can every imagine.

Pastor John Grant
Bethel Church of the Nazarene

Card of Thanks

It's not fun to have health problems, but if you do, it is very comforting to have so many wonderful people pulling for a successful recovery! My "Thank-You" to all for my cards, flowers, edible goodies and visits in the hospital and at home.

A special thanks to our four wonderful daughters, Cherry, Deedee, Barbie and Pam who took over the nursing and household duties to perfection. Doug and I are Blessed to have such a wonderful family!

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